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MRS. JAYNE McCURE DIES AT AGE 85.

WIDOW OF G. C. McCURE SUC-
CUMBS TO THE INFIR-
MITIES OF AGE.

Mrs. Jayne Borders McCure, widow of the late George C. McCure, died at her home at Gallup, this county, in her 85th year, on Thursday of last week, after an illness of a few weeks. She had been at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Atkinson, at Paintsville, for five weeks, and became ill while there. She was removed to her home only a few days previous to her death.

The funeral was held on the 23rd at the old homestead, and the body was laid to rest beside her husband, who died three years ago. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Cyrus Riffe, who was her pastor thirty years ago, assisted by Rev. Hill, the present pastor of the M. E. Church. No greater tribute was ever paid anyone than that given the deceased before a large concourse of people from Putnam, West Va., Huntington, Catlettsburg, Louisa, Paintsville, and intermediate points. The day was characteristic of her life—most beautiful.

Jayne Borders was born March 21, 1831, and died Oct. 21, 1915, aged 84 years and 7 months. She was a daughter of Hezekiah Borders, one of the pioneers of the Big Sandy Valley. She grew into young womanhood amid all the difficulties incident to those strenuous pioneer days, but not withstanding the great difficulties which surrounded her childhood days she most wonderfully developed all those admirable traits of character peculiar to true womanhood and ultimately became the beloved aunt Jayne to all who knew her.

She was married to G. C. McCure on the 1st day of Nov. 1849. To this union there were born 10 children, 5 boys and 5 girls, of whom 7 are living today, who with 28 grand children and 10 great grand children, one brother and a large number of relatives and friends survive to mourn her loss.

Shortly after her marriage she, with her husband settled in a little cabin home which stood near the present McCure homestead, where for many years the true Kentucky hospitality has been dispensed with a lavish hand.

Under the splendid guidance of this saintly woman the home became an ideal christian home from whence each of the children received instruction and inspiration to go forth to live lives of purity and success. Her spirit of self-sacrifice was remarkable. Her greatest delight was to administer to the necessities and happiness of others, as all who came in contact with her can testify. Her life was beautiful, her death was victorious. Her 84 years on life's pathway at last caused her robust body to grow weary, oh, so weary and tired that at last she fell asleep. Sleep on, dear mother, and rest awhile, the angels will wake you in due time to enter the pearly gates where we hope to meet you some time in the "sweet by and by."

During her last sickness she received the very tenderest care that love could bestow. Her last earthly vision was a beautiful exhibition of the regard of her loved ones toward her. Her next is of the glory to God.

She is survived by the following children:

Joe P. McCure, T. S. McCure, J. H. McCure, of Gallup, Ky.; L. T. McCure, of Louisa, Mrs. O. D. Garred, of Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. Dr. W. T. Atkinson, of Paintsville, and Mrs. G. C. Burkess, of Kise, five sons-in-law and four daughters-in-law.

DIED NEAR ZELDA.

Miss Esther Burton, daughter of A. J. Burton, died at her home near Zelda Sunday night after a lingering illness caused by tuberculosis. She was 22 years old. The funeral was held on Tuesday at Buchanan Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Cassidy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Following is a list of marriage licenses issued within the past few days:

OCT. 21. Harriman Kazee, 18, to Cora Murphy, 16, Webbville.

OCT. 21. George Edwards, 19, Nolda Davis, 28, Charley.

OCT. 21. Lee Waugh, 30, Vic Boyd, 30, Hunnyville. Married by Rev. Young.

OCT. 23. L. M. Yates, 46, Elizabeth Bernard, Fallsburg.

OCT. 25. Virgil Pyffe, 18, Mary J. Hay, 19, Mazie.

OCT. 26. Milton Fraley, Zona Berry, 17, Ledocio.

OCT. 27. Winfield Castle, 51, Gracie Edwards, 17, Charley.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Rev. U. V. W. Darlington, former Presiding Elder of the Ashland District and now Educational Supt. Morris Harvey College will preach in the M. E. Church South, Louisa, Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

The pastor Rev. L. E. McDowell, will occupy the pulpit at 7 p. m. and have for his subject "The False and the True." All are invited to the services. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

COUNTRY HOME BURNS.

Ashland, Ky., Oct. 27.—The country home of Harrison Robinett, on Chadwick's creek, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday during the absence of the family. They had gone to Catlettsburg. The residence, together with all the household furniture, is a total loss, with no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

SCHOOL EXTENSION WORK IN WAYNE COUNTY.

Glowing accounts of the success of the Marshall College extension work plan come from Wayne and Port Gay, where the initial classes were assembled Saturday, the former under J. M. LeCato, head of the work in Agriculture, and W. H. Franklin, of the English department, and the latter under Miss Anne DeNoon, who went as a substitute for Miss Lucy E. Prichard of the extension department.

Twenty-one teachers enrolled in the classes at Wayne. This class will meet each Saturday during the remainder of the first semester for two hour periods in English and Agriculture. Mr. LeCato and Mr. Franklin met a representative from a class of twenty at Wayne and it is probable that they will enroll this class on next Saturday, for the same amount of work each week.

Miss DeNoon enrolled a big class at Fort Gay for weekly periods in Mathematics and English.

Price Marsh, a student-teacher, was sent to Dunlow, to confer with prospective extension course students there. —Herald-Dispatch.

CHARGED WITH SLAYING WIFE AND HER COUSIN.

Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 23.—Sheriff's deputies are pursuing Burke McCure, aged 44, formerly a prominent merchant of Man, Logan-co., who is alleged to have shot and killed his wife, aged 26, and her cousin, Mrs. Gertrude Johnson, aged 30, and wounded Miss Grace Justice and Charles Perry near Barboursville. McCure himself was slightly wounded by Perry, who was attacked when he ran to the assistance of Miss Justice. Advice received here tonight said McCure had been surrounded in the hills of Logan county.

INSTANTLY KILLED.

Mr. John Starr, of Wayne-co., son of John "Buck" Starr, of Pigeon creek, who has been working for the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company in this city for several weeks, was instantly killed today at 1:30 o'clock, while helping sink a telephone pole at the corner of Logan and Wall-sts., near the subway and just opposite the passenger station.

Mr. Starr and several other men were placing a telephone pole in the ground and, unfortunately, in some way the books which were being raised slipped and the pole was striking him in the head. His head was crushed to pieces. He died instantly and never spoke. —Williamson News.

W. VA. DESPERADO SHOOTS FOUR PEOPLE.

KILLS HIS WIFE AND HER COUSIN IN AND WOUNDS TWO OTHERS.

Logan, W. Va., Oct. 23.—Bert McCure, formerly of Man, W. Va., but late of Christian, 18 miles south of Logan, to-day shot and killed his wife and her cousin, Gertrude Johnson, and wounded Miss Justice's 16-year-old daughter and Charles Perry, both of whom will recover.

McCure and his wife had an argument over family difficulties several months ago and Mrs. McCure went to Barboursville, W. Va., to reside with relatives. To-day she decided to move to that place.

This was not satisfactory to McCure, so he quit work at Man, walked to Christian, a distance of five miles, secured a gun, called his wife from the home of Mitch Justice and without warning shot her through the head.

He then retraced his steps a half mile to the home of Scott Browning, where Mrs. Johnson was staying, and called her out and shot her. Then he proceeded to hunt for all the neighbors who had assisted his wife in any way, and began shooting at them. Perry and Justice's daughter were shot.

Burke McCure, of Man, Logan county, who shot his wife and her cousin at his home Saturday afternoon, was tracked to the home of his brother-in-law, S. M. Center, of Oceana, Wyoming county, and was shot by Sheriff Chafin of Logan and his posse when he refused to give himself up.

After committing the crime, to which Charles Perry was a witness, McCure fled into Wyoming county. Sheriff Chafin organized a posse and took up the chase. McCure traveled about sixteen miles to the home of his sister, Mrs. E. M. Center, living in Oceana.

When the sheriff and his crowd arrived at the home where they thought their man was in hiding he pounded on the door and awakened young Clyde Center. The sheriff asked him if his uncle was there and the boy said he was not, that they hadn't seen anything of him. The sheriff took his word and left the house unsearched, it being about 3:00 a. m. Sunday morning. He went around the house to a woodshed and there to his surprise he found McCure hiding. He ordered him out and when he refused to give himself up he was shot five times and killed.

The body was taken across the Clear Fork river to Kelly's store where an inquest was held yesterday. McCure is survived by his sister, Mrs. E. M. Center and his father, who is nearly 90 years old, and makes his home with Mrs. Center. The aged father does not know that his son killed his wife nor has been told that his son was shot yesterday morning by the sheriff's posse within a few yards of where he slept. —Williamson Daily News.

FLOYD COUNTY FAIR PROVES QUITE A SUCCESS.

Although gotten up on rather short notice and with a good deal of uncertainty the county fair was well attended and there were many excellent exhibits. This was especially true of the woman's department. The spacious hall in the Hopkins building was well filled with lace and embroidery work of all kinds, bed quilts and coverlets, etc. Many of the specimens exhibited here would have done credit to any State fair. There was also a variety of canned fruits and jellies and some fine potatoes and corn, a few chickens and ducks, one pen of ordinary pigs, and only one bull. The absence of show cattle was most conspicuous, and this, in a large measure, was true also of the horse show. In several of the rings there was only one entry. Only one registered stallion and only one registered two year old mare, these being the only two registered animals on exhibition at the fair. This is not a surprise however to those who know the conditions in Floyd county as little attention is being given to the production of pure bred stock. There were a few handsome saddle horses exhibited but these horses were not bred in the county and were owned by the citizens of the town. It is to be hoped that the farmers, or rather the land-owners of the county, will notice this lack of good stock and will set themselves to the task of producing better cattle and horses. A most unfortunate occurrence of the last day was the fact that the gentlemen who were judging the horses had to leave on the early afternoon train before the work was half done. —Prestonsburg Post.

JUDGE REDWINE AND THE DOG TAX LAW.

Judge Redwine's opponent seems to have been trying to injure him by making certain representations as to the dog tax law.

By reference to the records of the Lawrence Circuit Court on the 14th day of the January term, 1907, it will be seen that Judge Redwine declared the dog tax law unconstitutional and granted a perpetual injunction against its enforcement. The case was that of John Hughes vs. H. B. Salter, etc. The decision reads:

"The Sheriff of Lawrence county be and is enjoined perpetually from collecting the dog tax listed under said Act by the Assessor during the year 1906, and from collecting such tax upon any future assessment, this act being held unconstitutional, against public policy and void."

M. M. REDWINE, Judge.

JOHN ROBERTS GUILTY OF MURDER IN SECOND DEGREE.

After a sensational trial occupying all of Wednesday John Roberts, local constable, known as "Big John," was convicted of murder in the second degree for the killing of Calvin Clark, colored chauffeur, here last August.

The trial attracted wider interest than any that has taken place here in recent years. All day long the court room was thronged with spectators and during the arguments, which began at 7 p. m., standing room was at a premium. —Mingo Republican.

HUNG JURY IN MUNCEY CASE.

Flem Muncy, charged with the killing of Thomas Chafin at Matewan, about August 1, was sent back to jail Saturday night when he failed to give a \$15,000 bond. His trial resulted in a hung jury, seven being for first degree and five for second degree murder, after a long and hard fought trial and the examination of many witnesses by both sides.

This case attracted wide attention on account of the number of relatives and the personal popularity of Chafin and the publicity given it at the time the horrible deed was committed. Prosecuting Attorney Stafford and Assistant Quinsberry were ably assisted by Hon. Jno. Marcum, of Huntington, and Attorney Thos. West, of this city, and Muncy was defended by Judge Evans, Judge Sampselle and Attorney Blaine York, of this city. —Williamson Daily News.

56 CARS FOR EIGHT MILES.

What is believed to be the record of travel for short distance is that claimed by the Norfolk & Western Railroad, between Hopewell and Petersburg, Va., a distance of eight miles. Every day, road officials say 56 passenger coaches are operated between the two points. Hopewell, it is said, is a boom center, which has been created through the European war. A powder concern is now building a permanent plant there, and within the last year hundreds of persons have gone to this village for work. Because of inadequate housing conditions at Hopewell, Petersburg has been made the home of the many employees of the concern. One railroad official said yesterday that lots which a year ago sold at \$300 in Hopewell now go at \$10,000.

EBENEZER PRESBYTERY.

The Presbytery, which is composed of all the Presbyterian churches east of the Kentucky river, will convene this afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church, where the delegates and others in attendance will be welcomed by Rev. Dr. W. C. Condit, who in June next will have completed his fiftieth anniversary of his pastorate of the church here. —Independent.

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Ashland, Ky., Oct. 25.—While waiting for an A. C. & I. train at Denton to come to Ashland Isaac Jones, 65 years old, the father of seven children, was struck tonight by a C. & O. freight train and killed.

SUDDEN DEATH OF SQUIRE J. W. PERRY.

ILLNESS STARTED WITH PAIN IN A TOE AND DEATH CAME NEXT DAY.

James Perry, better known as Squire James Perry, died at his home near Gallup on Friday last after an illness of only a few hours. He had been working at a sorghum mill until about three o'clock Friday morning, when he went home complaining of a very severe pain in his big toe. A physician was called who gave him some relief. Later in the day, however, Mr. Perry grew rapidly worse, and in spite of all that could be done he died late that evening. He was buried on the following day.

It is thought that he died of neuralgia of the heart.

Mr. Perry is survived by a widow and five children. He was 72 years old. He was for several years a magistrate of Lawrence county, and for some time before his going to Gallup he was a resident of this city.

REV. CAUDILL ACCEPTS CHARGE IN PORTSMOUTH.

Ironton, O., Oct. 25.—Announcement of the acceptance of a call extended recently to Rev. B. F. Caudill of Huntington by the First Baptist Church of this city was made at the Sunday morning services of the local church.

Rev. Mr. Caudill has been holding the position of superintendent of missions in West Virginia and is a minister of ability. Trustees of the First Baptist church have reasons to congratulate themselves over their good fortune in securing a man possessing the capabilities of Rev. Caudill, who will prove a worthy successor to Rev. T. H. McAfee.

Rev. Caudill will be in Portsmouth November 1 and will deliver his initial sermon in the First Baptist church on Sunday, November 7. Under his pastorate the First Baptist church is expected to continue the same advancement that was so successfully kept up while Rev. T. H. McAfee presided over this growing congregation. —Ashland Independent.

Mr. Caudill was well known in this city where he has often preached.

WAS NOT BLUE STEEL.

Mayor Salisbury received a picture and description this morning from Macon, Ga., where a negro said to be "Blue Steel" was being held, awaiting word from the authorities here. The picture and description did not tally with those of the negro wanted for the murder of Jos. Gibson.

Mayor Salisbury turned over the picture to L. Y. Johnson, C. & O. special officer, who took them to Catlettsburg jail and showed them to Wm. Bailey, a negro being held as a witness in the case and he said that he knew the negro whose picture was shown him and that he had no connection whatever with the murder of Mr. Gibson.

The authorities here have no clue of the whereabouts of "Blue Steel," "Road sport" or "Stonewall."

The officer who arrested the negro at Macon led the officers here to believe that there was no doubt about the negro being "Blue Steel." —Ashland Independent.

PRISONERS PAROLED.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 23.—The Prison Commissioners have paroled five lifetime convicts and thirty-one prisoners with indeterminate sentences. Chris Howlett, who was convicted in Jefferson county fourteen years ago for robbery and given a life sentence because he was a third term, was paroled. He was but 19 years old when he entered the penitentiary.

Arch Bailey, of Marion county, the oldest prisoner in point of service in the Eddyville penitentiary, was paroled. He served twenty-one years for murder. Albert Harris, convicted of murder in Bell county, was paroled after serving twenty years. When asked by the board for details of his crime Harris said that it had been so long since it was committed he had forgotten the details.

Hamp Crang, of Laurel county, formerly deputy sheriff of that county, and Jesse Bull, of Bell county, also convicted for murder, were paroled.

Among the many paroled was Sam Steele, sent from Pike county for 2 to 21 years for manslaughter.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY WHILE IN PRISON.

Lee Pemberton, age 27 years, and a resident of Catlettsburg, died at two o'clock Monday morning in the city bastille where he was placed Saturday charged with intoxication. When being arraigned at his serious illness, Judge McConnell summoned a doctor, who used all medical efforts to save the life of Pemberton.

CECIL H. VANSANT RESIGNS.

Cecil H. Vansant, Assistant Secretary of State, has resigned, effective November 1, on account of his health. He probably will be succeeded by Guy Vansant, his cousin, heretofore examiner for the State Insurance Department. Guy Vansant is acting at present as Assistant Secretary of State.

KILLED IN EXPLOSION.

Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 23.—Samuel B. Gray, Jr., 45 years old, a machinist, was instantly killed to-day when a cylindrical iron piston head, which he and two other men had heaved for repairs, exploded.

SOUTHERN ROAD TO BUILD LINE INTO EASTERN KY.

Whitesburg, Ky., Oct. 23.—From present indications it looks as if Eastern Kentucky is to get another railroad line to reach into her rich coal and timber fields.

Advices are that Shelby, an important junction east of here on the main line of the Big Sandy branch of the Chesapeake & Ohio, and the junction of the Baltimore & Ohio's Jenkins line with the C. & O. is to get another road—an extension of the southern from a point near Bluefield, W. Va., through a rich coal and timber district in Buckhannon-co., Va. and along the border of the two states—Kentucky and Virginia, a distance of about seventy-five miles.

The survey of the new extension is being made at this time and indications for the building of the road in the very near future are encouraging. It is confidently expected that the actual construction of the road will be started by the first of the year.

The construction of this important extension still makes Shelby a much more important station. It is said, also that both the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Baltimore & Ohio will build terminals at this point, the former road having already purchased property for that purpose.

The C. & O. reaches twenty miles further to Elkhorn City, where it connects with the newly completed Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio road through the "breaks" of the Big Sandy. —Williamson News.

OLD HARGIS FARM IS SOLD FOR \$30,000 CASH.

Winchester, Ky., Oct. 23.—T. C. Henry, agent for R. N. Ratliff, today sold his farm of 144 acres to Thomas and Robert Scott, of Pike-co., for \$30,000 cash. The farm is about two and one-half miles from Winchester on the Paris pike, and is known as the Hargis place, having been owned by former Senator A. H. Hargis. It was since owned by the Hon. B. A. Crutcher. The place is one of the best-improved farms in Clark-co. The Scott brothers are machinists and farmers of Pike-co. They will move immediately to Clark county to reside.

FOOT BALL.

On Saturday last the Louisa team went to Paintsville and the team of that village and our boys kicked a stuffed pig's skin about in the mud until they were tired and muddy enough to quit. The score was 20 for Paintsville and 0 for Louisa.

OIL HAS REACHED \$1.22 IN KENTUCKY.

PRICE OF CRUDE OIL AGAIN AD- VANCED FIVE CENTS PER BARREL.

The price of crude oil has received another boost of five cents per barrel, bringing it to \$1.22. This will be good news to the local producers.

The highest price paid in Kentucky during the past few years was \$1.35. The lowest price was 89 cents, which prevailed until a few months ago, when the price began to increase.

The Ohio Fuel has completed a well on the Minerva Diamond farm four miles west of Louisa. It is a paying well, about the same as others in that vicinity.

A well started on the A. Collinsworth farm had to be abandoned because the hole became crooked. Another is being drilled alongside.

On the Wilson Hays farm at Potter station a well by a Huntington company is down to the Berea sand and will be drilled to at once.

The Blaine Oil company has completed a well on W. T. Kane's farm. It filled up 400 feet in two hours after completion and is believed to be good for 8 or 10 barrels per day.

Just across the river the Lycans well No. 2 was recently shot and abandoned as unprofitable. Well No. 3 on the same tract is said to be a small producer. It is reported the South Penn will drill a well on Tabors creek soon.

BRAKEMAN INJURED.

J. N. Martin, of Corbin, Ky., a brakeman on the Big Sandy division of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, was badly injured at Meeks, Ky., Sunday night when he was struck on the head by a coal chute. Martin was standing on a moving car being hit when the train passed under the chute. He was knocked off the train. Martin went to the hospital at Huntington. A slight concussion of the brain resulted from the accident.

PROBABLY FOUL PLAY.

A son of John Hensley of Chadwick creek, Boyd county, who had gone to Williamson, W. Va., to testify in the trial of a case, was found dead on the railway tracks Friday and his body was brought home Saturday for burial. His friends think he had been lured to a secluded spot, murdered and his body placed on the track. There may be sensational developments.

The body was found on the N. & W. tracks near Kermit.

A WHIRLWIND SPECIAL.

The Republicans have a special train touring parts of Kentucky this week. On Friday of this week it will cover the Big Sandy Valley, leaving Elkhorn in the morning and winding up at Ashland at night. Fairbanks, Morrow, Franks and Long, as well as a number of lesser lights, will be on board. The train will reach Louisville about 4 o'clock.

PEARLY WELLMAN FATALLY HURT IN HUNTINGTON.

Pearly Wellman, aged 37 years, of Huntington, well known in Ashland and Catlettsburg, was so seriously injured last evening that his death is expected before the day is over.

Wellman and two other employees of the Ohio Valley Electric Company were enroute home from work near Kenova and when the car reached the stop near West Moreland the trolley pole broke and swung toward the men who jumped from the car. Wellman's head struck a tie of the west bound track and his skull was crushed. The other men escaped injury.

The accident occurred about six o'clock. —Ashland Independent.

The unfortunate man was taken to a hospital in Huntington, where an operation was performed in the hope of saving his life, but he died in twenty-four hours after receiving the injury. The body was brought to Saltpeper, where it was interred. He is survived by a widow and several children, most of them small. The deceased was a son of James Harvey Wellman, of this city and formerly resided here. He was a quiet, sober and industrious man and leaves a dependent family.

ASHLAND CHILD SCALDED TO DEATH.

Carl Edward Bullington, the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Bullington, of 515, Hilton-av., died this morning at seven o'clock from the effects of burns received Thursday afternoon when he fell into a lard can of boiling water, which Mrs. Bullington had just set off the stove.

Charles Edward and his younger brother, Thomas Harrison, aged three years, were playing about the kitchen where Mrs. Bullington was at work, and as he ran around the can of water his heel caught on some projection on the floor and he sat down in the water. Before Mrs. Bullington could rescue the little fellow, the flesh was cooked from his arms to his knees. The flesh on his right arm was also scalded. So badly was the child scalded that the flesh peeled from the bones.

All that medical science could do to save the baby was done, but the shock to his nervous system was too great and the end came this morning.

The little body will be interred at the Buchanan cemetery as Mrs. Bullington formerly resided at Buchanan. —Ashland Independent.

FIRST WOMAN GAME WARDEN.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 23.—Miss Annie Lee Samuel, of this city, the first woman game warden in Kentucky, said she secured her commission simply to encourage members of her sex to lend a hand in the conservation of game and song birds in Kentucky.

"The commission," she said, "is asking for the organization of clubs all over the State to co-operate with it in protecting game. Hundreds of women own land and thousands are interested in the protection of birds. I think they could play an important part in arousing a local sentiment in favor of the observance of the game laws, and they should join these organizations. I know of a great many women who are interested and have reported infractions of the law."

Miss Samuel is a member of one of Frankfort's oldest and leading families, and has been connected with the Game and Fish Commission since its creation and organization in 1912.

MAN AND WIFE ARE MURDERED IN BED.

Hyden, Ky., Oct. 17.—John Pace, a farmer, and his wife were found murdered in their bed Sunday morning in their home on Bulls creek, in Clay county, just across the Leslie county line.

Pace and his wife were about fifty years of age. They had been shot to death and there is no clew to the murderer. The Sheriff of Clay county went to the scene from Manchester, and bloodhounds probably will be used to trace the slayer.

Pace was sentenced to the State Penitentiary from Leslie county about 20 years ago for the murder of Allen Lewis. He was paroled seven years ago.

BIG SANDY SCHOOL OF METHODS.

The Big Sandy School of Methods will be held at Paintsville, Nov. 29, Dec. 3, Roy K. Roadruck, who has had charge of the plans announce that the faculty has been secured and that all is in readiness for our first school in this great valley. Every church in this section is invited to send its workers. Free entertainment will be provided by the Paintsville church and there will be no registration fee, making the only cost the railroad fare.

YOUNG WOMAN ILL.

Miss Thursa Shortridge, a brilliant young woman of Normal who is well known in Catlettsburg, is confined to her home gravely ill with tonsillitis. This is sad news to her many friends in our city where she has been such a devoted attendant at the M. E. Church South. —Catlettsburg Item.

MARRIED AT CATLETTSBURG.

Anthony Wayne Ferguson, Jr., 21, to Janette Lewis Stone, 21, of Creeks, W. Va.

Thomas Watters, 24, to Binnie Anderson, 28, Lawrence county, Ky.

DEMOCRATIC BARBECUE.

More than 10,000 Democratic voters of Mason and adjoining counties Saturday attended a barbecue at Maysville, where A. O. Stanley, Senator James and others delivered addresses in the interest of the Democratic ticket. Enthusiasm shown indicated that many friends for the ticket were made.

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WEBBVILLE.

Congressman Fields made a speech here last Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Moore are visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. J. Webb.
Dr. Billy Gambill is here practicing dentistry.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore of Blaine were visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Pennington.
Miss Willie Pennington has returned home after an extended visit at Blaine.
Mrs. Sallie Gardner has returned from Soldier, where she has been visiting Mrs. H. B. Riggle.
Miss Pearl Walter has returned from Bowling Green, where she attended the Grand Chapter of the O. E. S. She also visited Mammoth Cave.
Dr. Collins of Wayland has a caller here over Sunday.
L. D. Maggard of Relief has been here the past week buying sorghum.
Dr. Hillman of Olive Hill, was a professional caller here this week.
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GRIFFITH CREEK.

Death has hovered over our community twice during the past week and removed from our midst two of our oldest and most respected citizens.
Mrs. Jane McClure, widow of the late G. C. McClure answered the call last Thursday evening. She took sick while visiting her daughter, Mrs. Atkinson of Paintsville and grew gradually worse. When on her request she was taken to her old home at Gallup where she passed away Thursday, surrounded by her family and friends who did all that loving hands and medical science could do. I shall not attempt to speak further on her life but will leave that for those who are better qualified and longer acquainted with this noble woman.
James Perry, an aged and respected citizen, died last Friday of neuralgia. He was taken Thursday morning with a severe pain in his foot and leg, spreading over his body and taking his life Friday evening at 9 o'clock. Mr.

DURBIN.

Our singing school is progressing nicely.
Miss Lena Black, who has been staying with her sister at Gallup, has

returned home to stay a few days.
There will be singing at this place Wednesday night.
A revival will start Sunday night.
Miss Belva Lester took dinner with her chum Elmo McKnight Sunday.
Sherman Black made a business trip to Catlettsburg Saturday.
Rebecca Lester and daughter were visiting her sister on Bear creek Saturday and Sunday.
There was a large crowd attending singing school at this place Sunday.
THREE CHUMS.

THE PRESIDENT'S BRIDE ELECT.

In the upper Big Sandy Valley, where the NEWS has a large circulation, there are many who know much about Wytheville, Va., the birth place of Mrs. Galt, President Wilson's bride elect. To them the following concerning this now very prominent lady will be of much interest:

Wytheville, Va., Oct. 23.—Mrs. Norman Galt, President Wilson's fiancée, is remembered here as the youngest of four sisters in a family of eleven children, nine of whom are living.

Modest and retiring, Edith Bolling was the family pet, all of the girls being remarkably handsome. Tall and stately Edith, the youngest, is best remembered for her luxurious black hair, her olive complexion, classic features and large, brilliant black eyes. Fond of dancing, Edith was a leader at the weekly dances of the Wytheville German club.

Gertrude, the eldest girl, married a Mr. Gault of Washington, a court stenographer, and it was while visiting her sister in Washington that Edith met Norman Galt, a cousin of her sister's husband. Upon returning to Virginia Mr. Galt visited her frequently, and early in 1894 they were married here in St. John's Episcopal church by the Rev. Mercer P. Logan, D. D.

Mrs. Galt attended in 1896 the inaugural ball of President McKinley, where her husband was floor manager, and at this function she wore her wedding gown.

She attended a private school here taught by A. Shelburne; later she was a pupil at the Plummer College, a "semi-prep" school for young women, and also went to Powell's School for Young Ladies at Richmond. Mrs. Galt's father, Judge Bolling, was in moderate circumstances after coming out of the war with a large family. He died in 1895, and since then the family has scattered, the majority making their home with Mrs. Norman Galt in Washington.

Mrs. Bolling, Mrs. Galt's mother, who was Miss Sally White, of Bedford, Va., and Miss Bertha Bolling, her sister, are members of Mrs. Norman Galt's Washington household. Mrs. Galt's childhood home in this city is still known as the Bolling flat, in this flat of eight rooms, on Main street, Edith Bolling, now Mrs. Galt, was born. The Bolling flat was owned by Judge Bolling and came to him through his mother. Underneath the flat, which is on the second floor, are stores and a butcher shop, a doctor's office, a barber shop and a grocery store.

Mrs. Galt's second sister, Anna, said to have been the belle of the family, married W. M. Maury, superintendent for the Virginia Coal & Iron Company at Max Meadows, Va.; Gertrude, the eldest daughter, was remembered as having been the most vivacious, and Bertha went in for literature, and is said to have written creditable short stories and magazine articles.

Most of Mrs. Galt's intimates here knew of her visits to the summer White House, and some declared it was all settled six weeks ago. They agree that Mrs. Galt will grace fittingly the position as "first lady of the land."

Mrs. Galt has no living children. She had but one child, a boy, who died some years ago.

LETCHER COUNTY AND WHITESBURG.

What is Happening in this Rich Coal Territory of Kentucky.

WHITESBURG, KY., Oct. 27.—One of the most important telephone extensions in the history of Eastern Kentucky is now practically assured, according to the information given out here by Mr. S. L. Ingram of Atlanta, Ga. Arrangements are practically complete for the building of the Southern Bell system through the coal fields of this section. The new lines will come via Hazard, Whitesburg, Fleming, McRoberts and Jenkins, and from Jenkins the extension will be built into Pikeville and Elkhorn City. It is expected, also, that the lines will be extended over the newly completed Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio road into Johnson City, Tenn. Mr. Ingram is advance agent for the company, and he completed arrangements for connection with the several local systems in the towns to be reached. The new service will reach a number of the towns having no long distance connection at the present time.

Farmers in all sections of the county who have started the work of corn gathering are complaining of the great amount of this important cereal that is rotting on the stalk. It is believed that the continued rains and warm weather during July and August started corn rotting. About the same conditions are reported here from other sections of the mountains. The area planted to corn this year was unusually large, but the yield will be poor compared with previous years. It is expected to go to a dollar a bushel at once.

Hon. David Hays democratic candidate for Circuit Judge of the new Letcher-Pike district is making a canvass of the county talking his candidacy, speaking in a number of the voting precincts. He spoke yesterday at Baker in the coal fields of the county to a large crowd who gave him a big reception. Mr. Hays' opponent is John E. Butler, republican of Pikeville.

Aunt Susanna Gibson, aged about 90 of Beaver creek, Knott county, north of here visited friends and acquaintances around Mayking, five miles from here in Letcher county for the first time in over thirty years. While there aunt Susanna had the pleasure of seeing and beholding her first railroad train. She was elated over the wonders

of the long trains and the massive engine.

Uncle Samuel Robisett aged 87 one of the oldest men of the Powell's river section just beyond the Kentucky line in Virginia is dead after a brief illness. Uncle Sammie was known and loved by many Kentucky people who are loath to give him up. Since developments came to that section Uncle Sammie had become quite wealthy, owning thousands of acres of fine coal lands. He leaves a large number of descendants.

Mining activities in the Boone's Fork and Elkhorn coal fields of the county continue to increase at a lively rate according to operators in the territory, and hundreds of new men are being added. Since the first of Oct. it is safe to say that operations have increased at least twenty-five per cent. More trains are now carrying out coal and lumber shipments that at anytime in the history of this section.

People here are talking of the old-time prosperity.

Telephone advices from Fleming tells of the killing of a man there late Monday night by an L. & N. local freight, whose name could not be learned. No particulars were given.

Judge James M. Roberson will convene a special term of the Letcher Circuit Court here next week which will be Judge Roberson's last term in the county. It is expected that he will make a determined effort to rid the docket of its greatly congested condition.

John S. Webb democratic nominee for Representative from the counties of Letcher, Knott and Floyd is in Knott and Floyd this week whopping up his candidacy. His opponent is W. W. Sargent, republican.

Eldis Stanley of Dickenson county, Va., and Mosely of Knott county, preached the funeral of Uncle David Kincer, who died about a year ago at the old Webb graveyard at Mayking. The funeral obsequies were attended by a large delegation.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

News From Paintsville and the Surrounding Country.

Mrs. Walter Spradlin and daughter, Irene, have returned from Sugar Grove, Ky., where they have been visiting Mrs. Spradlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Daniels.

John E. Buckingham is in New York this week on business. He will return to Paintsville the early part of the week.

D. J. Wheeler and wife have returned from Huntington where Mrs. Wheeler underwent an examination at the Kessler hospital. It is possible that she will have to undergo an operation in the near future, although hopes are entertained that this will not have to be done.

Miss Prichard Smith and Miss Mildred Jones of Van Lear were here shopping today.

Tom Laubon, representative of the Ohio Valley Mill and Supply Company is a business visitor in Paintsville to-day.

Clarence Preston is having a cistern dug at his home, which will be completed soon.

Irene Mayo is spending a few days at Cincinnati this week.

John Wheeler has returned from Pikeville, where he has been on business.

H. LaViers is visiting the South East Coal company at Seco, Ky., where he will spend a couple of weeks looking after the affairs of the company.

Rev. Burns Conley has returned from Cincinnati where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Virgie McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Atkinson have returned from the Central part of Kentucky, where they have been looking for a place to buy. They have not yet decided on a place, but contemplate moving there before winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rice, of Riceville, were here today visiting Mr. and Mrs. Link Rice.

Jeff Bend of Red Brush, M. A. Davis, Chandlerville, L. C. Bailey, Oil Springs, B. S. Williams, Kenwood, were here Saturday night, leaving Sunday morning for Louisville where they go to attend the Grand Lodge of Masons as representatives of their respective lodge.

Fred Adams has opened his new barber shop and has named it the Mecca. The building was completed Tuesday and he went to work Wednesday.

Miss Irene LaViers is spending a few days at Cincinnati, shopping. While there she will be the guest of Miss Bess Cooke.

Colley Powell spent today at Van Lear the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Neva McChord.

Mrs. Edna J. Kirk, who has been at Van Lear visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, returned home this afternoon.

Mrs. Adams and two daughters of Washington, have moved to Paintsville to live this winter, and the girls will attend school at the Sandy Valley Seminary.

Miss Hester Ward has returned from Richmond, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Junior Hinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Green have given up their boarding house and have taken rooms at the Hager hotel. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Henkle have moved into the Sarah Rice property vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Vencel Fannin have returned to their home at Oil Springs after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Fannin.

M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Preaching 10:30 a. m. Subject: Regeneration, John 3:3.
Preaching 6:30 p. m. Subject: Christ's Journeys of Mercy. Mark 6:56.

Ladies Aid meets at Mrs. Lum Holbrook's Wednesday 1:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 6:30 p. m.

Choir practice Friday 6:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.

W. H. YOUNG, Pastor.

A Born Speculator

By EUNICE BLAKE

"Jim," said Mrs. Martin, "the jig's up. We have nothing in the house for dinner, no money to buy anything, and our credit has been exhausted. I have begged you again and again to get a position, and you have not even tried to do so. I'm afraid I'll have to give up trying to live with you."

James Martin looked very lugubrious. Unfitted for any kind of drudgery, he had not found a way of making a living without it. He had been a soldier and conspicuous for bravery, but it is notorious that a man especially built for war is not likely to be fitted for anything else. When Jim had married he had just made \$10,000 on a real estate deal which he had put through on paper—that is, without any cash. Before he could strike another such bit of luck his profit was all gone.

"Well, Betsy," he said, "you married a man unfitted for the ordinary humdrum of life, and you must take your medicine. I'll go out and hunt for something to do, but if I find anything it won't last very long. I'll probably be discharged within a few weeks."

"Not if you attend to business, keep a close mouth and don't try to advise your employer."

"I didn't hire you to tell me how to run my business," said Summers and, drawing a check for his salary due, discharged him.

Jim was walking home cursing himself for a fool when he encountered a red flag at the door of a warehouse. Having a fellow feeling with red flags, which usually denote forced sales, he went in and learned that a stock of copper was to be sold for a man who had gone under financially. The bidding was just beginning. A man sidled up to Jim and, slipping a ten dollar bill into his hand, whispered to him to raise the last bid. Jim did as requested and was relieved by hearing the man who had paid him raise his bid.

But the rise in the bids was very slow. The great European war had just broken out, and it occurred to Jim, who was familiar with a soldier's requirements, that copper entered into the composition of ammunition and if the war lasted long enough the stock of the world's copper would be used up. He had no idea of buying this stock, for he had nothing to buy it with, but somehow he could not resist the temptation to go on bidding. But the excitement of the contest got the better of him, and he suddenly awoke to the fact that \$100,000 worth of copper had been knocked down to him. He had reached the price copper was selling at in the open market, and no one had any use for this lot at any higher figure. The buyer was at once called upon for 10 per cent of the price to be paid.

Jim was equal to the occasion. Taking one of his principal competitors by the sleeve, he said: "You wanted this copper, so did I. I don't know why you wanted it, but I have been a soldier, and, knowing the necessity for copper in the manufacture of ammunition and considering the amount of ammunition that will be required by the combatants, I believe copper is going up. Within a few weeks or a few months this stock will be worth a great deal more than it is today. If you'll pay the 10 per cent required to carry it I'll take you in for 20 per cent of the profits."

"Wait a minute till I get the last quotation," said the man, "and I'll let you know."

The last quotation was a quarter of a cent higher than the price Jim was to pay. "Make it half the profits," said the capitalist, "and I'll go you." Jim assented. The man paid the margin on the copper, and before the balance was to be paid copper had risen half a cent a pound.

Meanwhile Jim had gathered statistics as to the copper on hand and the amount likely to be required. Orders for ammunition were beginning to come from abroad, and copper kept going up. Jim convinced his partner that the price must continue to rise, and the latter consented to hold on.

One day after the war had been going on for nearly a year the copper was sold, and Jim pocketed what was for him a small fortune. He and his wife had, on the strength of Jim's copper holdings, been able to borrow enough to keep them, and now they were in fine fettle.

"My dear," said Jim, "as I told you a year ago, you married a man unfitted for the ordinary humdrum of life. They say you can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear, but in this case a speculator has been made out of a fool."

"I expect you're right, Jim," was the reply. "You were not born for a drudge. A drudge may always be able to make a living, but he is not likely to get rich. A genius is pretty sure to get a good many kicks, but if he finds his vocation and an opportunity at the same time he will surely lift himself far beyond his fellows."

Jim Martin met his old employer, Summers, on the street the other day, and Summers asked him if he knew of a good thing in which to invest some money for a flier.

L. D. JONES, D. M. D.

—DENTIST—

Office over J. B. Crutcher's store
Office hours from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Drs. Walters & Millard

A CHILD'S TONGUE SHOWS IF LIVER OR BOWELS ARE ACTIVE

IF CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK, BILIOUS, GIVE FRUIT LAXATIVE AT ONCE.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue. Mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, "colic"—remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful to-day saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

RATCLIFF, JATTIE & HICKSVILLE.

Bro. Rice preached a very interesting sermon here Thursday night.

William B. Lyons, who farmed with M. M. Stewart has took his departure for several parts of West Va., where he shall remain until December 25.

Isaac Wilson and daughter, attended church at Sandhill Sunday last.

Hobart Brainard and Celia Stewart passed down our creek Sunday enroute to Fannin's Branch.

O. R. Daniel and D. C. Pennington returned from Ohio Friday.

Lee Diamond made a trip to Isaac Kelly's Sunday.

Wesley Holbrook of McCarr is expected home soon.

Will Wright has moved into the house vacated by W. M. Pennington. W. M. Pennington, J. M. Wright and families have gone to Grayson where they will spend the winter.

Dock Stewart, Nannie Hicks, Celia Belle Stewart and Hobart Brainard attended the literary at Caney Fork Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Young spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Watson.

Dennie Rice failed to fill his regular appointment at L. D. Wilson's Sunday.

Dewey Thompson and John Bailey called at the widow Chaffin's Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cooksey, a boy.

Earl Carter and John Bailey attended church here Thursday night.

Mrs. Clara F. Bentley and children are spending a few weeks with her parents of Yatesville, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bentley.

Dock Stewart went to J. M. Prichard on business Friday.

Mrs. Mae and Ella B. Stewart visited Mrs. Ethel Chaffin last week.

Celia B. Stewart spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Martha Woods.

Willie Jobe attended the literary at Caney Fork Wednesday night.

James Green was visiting Dock Stewart Sunday.

Demonia L. Wilson was visiting her cousin Stella C. Dalton Sunday.

Nona Hall, Ruth Thompson and Celia Belle Stewart were the pleasant guests of Ida Belle Chaffin Sunday afternoon.

It is reported that there will be a literary at the Belletrace school house every Friday night. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Ella Dalton visited relatives at Brammer Gap Thursday.

Ernest Jordan was here Saturday.

Nanna Webb spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Mrs. Carrie Lester of Tuscola.

Dack Stewart has purchased the fine horse which was owned by Clifton Hullette.

Milton Vanhorn of Mancelona, Mich. is expected home soon.

Miss Alice Stewart and Fred Vanhorn visited relatives here recently.

RATCLIFF & DENNIS GUYS.

On Saturday evening, Oct. 16, 1915 the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maud Lester and took from them their darling little baby, Olive Pearl. She was only five months old, a bright, sweet and loving little child. How we miss her when we can no longer see her smiling face, but the blessed Saviour said, suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven. Words cannot express how we miss our hearts are, but even now since she can no longer greet us here with her sweet smiles and caresses she is still smiling more sweetly in paradise. She no longer knows the pains of life but is singing sweet songs around God's bright throne. She was a patient little sufferer and for but a few hours rested between life and death, but alas! her sorrows are now over. Weep not dear father and mother, for little Olive is only sleeping. Although the sorrows of life are many, you have a little angel in heaven beckoning you to be faithful a few more days. Then when the darker side of life is past and when you sweep through the

RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system.

To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and rebuild your strength.

Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

pearly gates you can clasp the hand of your dear baby never to part with her any more. There is a vacancy in the home which never can be filled but father and mother you would not call your darling baby from her heavenly home to this world of sorrow and pain if you could; but you cannot she is forever gone from this world and from us. Sad was the parting hour 'twas so hard to part with her, but the blessed consolation you can meet little Olive again if you try.

She was laid to rest in the Christian cemetery. Funeral services were held by Bro. Jacob Puckett. A FRIEND.

BIG HARRICANE.

Sunday school is progressing nicely at this place.

Mrs. Marryan Johnson is no better.

Miss Fanny Thornhill of Louisa, Ky., spent last week with her friend Miss Ida Neal of Sugar Branch.

John Neal of Borderland, West Va., was visiting Miss Fanny Thornhill recently.

Miss Ruby Neal was visiting her cousin Miss Ida Neal recently.

George Parks of Sugar Branch is slowly improving.

Miss Ida Neal and Miss Fanny Thornhill spent Saturday and Sunday with their friend Miss Sadie York of Walbridge.

Miss Nelly Thornhill of Louisa, passed through here Sunday returning home from a visit to her uncle at Ironton.

Henry Bellomy was visiting Miss Ida Neal and Fanny Thornhill recently.

Mrs. Mary Hooser is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Molly Adams is some better at this writing.

Edgar Lakin was visiting Miss Olive Lett Thursday night.

Mrs. Susie Belomy made a business call at Mrs. Polly Lett's Friday evening.

Claude Lakeings was visiting Miss Garnet Raburn Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Meredith and children of Catlettsburg are visiting her sister at Sugar Branch.

Everette Phillips visited Miss Larma Lakins Sunday evening.

Lonie Thompson has returned from the army.

There will be prayer meeting at Hubbardtown Thursday night.

Jim Smith was visiting Miss Sallie Belcher recently.

Miss Isabelle Raburn was visiting her sister Thursday night.

Miss Myrtle Skeins was visiting her mother Friday afternoon.

Miss Edna Neal of Sugar Branch was visiting friends at Williamson recently.

Miss McCasins was visiting Miss Alice Johnson recently.

Miss Clara Bloce and Dwie Hatten were shopping in Louisa Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hodge, a fine boy.

There will be an entertainment at Hubbardtown school house Friday night. Everybody come.

WELL BE THERE.

Girls! Have wavy, thick, glossy hair free from dandruff.

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments—try this!

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life, has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff, you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff! no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?

DEEP HOLE.

Church here the first Sunday in every month by Rev. Booth.

Sunday school is still progressing nicely.

James Clark, wife and daughter are in Floyd county visiting relatives.

Mrs. Love and daughter of Dallas, Texas, have returned home after a few weeks visit with relatives here.

John Abbott of Louisa spent a few days with relatives here.

Miss Mona Cassey of Fallsburg is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Sadie Diamond.

Alvah Drake and cousin Mrs. Mabel Chaffin are contemplating a visit to Columbus, O., soon.

Clarence Stewart and George short attended church at Yatesville Wednesday night.

Miss True Roberts visited Miss Blanche Burchett Sunday.

The funeral of Jerome Preece and baby, and Fannie Preece was largely attended. Services were held on the graveyard by the Rev. Word of Floyd county, Hensley of Martin county and James Harvey of Catt.

Miss Ethel Cyrus of Smoky Valley spent Sunday last with Martha Clark.

Ebon Taylor and wife have moved back from Ashland.

Alvin Short and Albert Jordan have returned from Ohio, where they have been cutting corn.

Walter Diamond of Lucasville, O., visited his mother, M. L. Diamond at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Arthur Burchett, wife and son visited home folks on Morgan's creek

Sunday.

Alvin Short still makes frequent trips to Fallsburg.

Mrs. Ella Clark and children are contemplating a visit to relatives in Floyd and Pike counties soon.

Mrs. Robert Rice has purchased a new organ.

Alvah Drake and Alice Diamond were the guests of Miss Martha Clark Monday afternoon.

The birthday party given by Miss Martha Clark was largely attended.

Alvin Short and Tom Hays are out taking oil leases this week.

Dallas Clark and Sherman Christians were on our creek Monday.

T. H. Burchett made a business trip to Cincinnati last week.

Our literary society meets every other Friday night. Everybody come.

Our school is progressing nicely.

The drilling of the oil well on M. L. Diamond's farm is going on nicely.

Martha Clark was shopping in Louisa Saturday.

TWO SCHOOL GIRLS.

BAD COLD? HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED

"PAPE" COLD COMPOUND ENDS COLDS AND GRIPPE IN A FEW HOURS.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness, and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

EAST FORK.

Misses Myrtle and Ollie Queen and Messrs. Curtis and Arthur Queen attended the organization of a literary society at Sandy Valley school house Friday night.

The colt show at James Taylor's drew a large crowd but no success being made in the way of selling horses.

The sick at V. B. Shortridge's are some better, except little Marguerette, who has brain fever, and the doctor pronounces hers a very bad case of this disease.

Misses Georgia Riffe, Gracie Belcher and Maryl Handley attended the colt show Sunday evening.

E. S. Kegley was in our vicinity last week.

Lewis Davis, cashier of the Ashland bank, Mr. James Hughes, Congressman of West Va., Mr. Willie Watson proprietor of the Ashland Hotel, Co. were here Saturday and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Belcher.

Mrs. Florence Belcher and daughter, were at Glenwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lufe Queen of Whites creek, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hanley of East Fork last Sunday.

Miss Gracie Marie Handley attended the quarterly meeting at East Fork Chapel Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Banfield attended the ball game at Glenwood Saturday.

Lafe Scott of Ashland was the guest of Miss Gracie Belcher and Georgia Riffe Saturday.

Misses Beulah L. Miller, Birdie Bryant and Gracie Belcher attended the ball game at Glenwood Saturday.

Mrs. Rosa Smith of Willard was at Mrs. Robt. Johnson's Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Taylor and children and Mrs. G. B. Belcher were at the ball game at Glenwood Saturday.

Jim Woods and son Willie of Louisa, were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neal were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal of Glenwood Sunday.

Wade Lawson of Ratcliff, was on East Fork Saturday.

HULLIE GULL.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lufe Thompson were shopping in Louisa Monday.

Gypsy Thompson was visiting home folks Sunday.

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USE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS WHEN CONSTIPATED

WHEN BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK, FOR SOUR STOMACH, BAD BREATH, BAD COLDS.

Get a 10-cent box.

Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action, a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

FALLSBURG.

Our school is progressing nicely with J. L. Moore as teacher.

Aunt Nancy Jordan, who is very old, fell down stairs one day last week and was seriously hurt. She is no better at this writing.

C. C. Crank has sold out to H. C. Austin and will move to Normal.

Z. T. Webb has gone to Montana to see his brother.

Lon Belcher is teaching a singing school at this place. We hope it may be a success.

Bro. Booth was here and preached a very interesting sermon Thursday.

Uncle Dick Cains went to Catlettsburg to visit his daughter, Mrs. Jennie Thompson, who has been on the sick list.

Aunt Addie Rice visited her son Ben Rice, who is very low at this writing.

Irene Carter, Dora Rice, Gussie Frasher attended the ball game at Green Valley Sunday.

Miss Alice Cains of Caines' Branch, was visiting her uncle, Bob Caines Sunday.

Quite a large crowd attended singing here Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. D. Frasher was visiting her son Purl Frasher Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Tomlin visited home folks Saturday.

Mrs. Jay Collinsworth and daughter spent Sunday with relatives here.

Wootsie Caines and Bert Cooksey were visiting Gussie Frasher and Dora Rice Sunday afternoon.

MIGNONETTE.

NO INDIGESTION, GAS, OR STOMACH MISERY IN FIVE MINUTES

"PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN" FOR SOUR, ACID STOMACH, HEART-BURN, DYSPEPSIA.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heart-burn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eruptions of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis, or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

HICKSVILLE AND JATTIE.

Rev. Leonard Bowling preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation at this place Sunday.

J. E. Bailey and R. L. Thompson were visiting school one day last week.

D. A. Rice attended church at Brammer Gapp Saturday night.

Dewey Thompson has left for parts unknown.

Cebon Wilson was seriously injured last week while working in an old coal bank by a large piece of slate falling on him.

George Hicks is visiting home folks this week.

The bean hulling at Mr. and Mrs. Mander Young's Friday night was largely attended.

Miss Ruth Thompson and Nona Hall made a business trip to Louisa Thursday.

Misses Jane and Gracie Thompson were calling on their cousins Fanny and Lucy Thompson Sunday last.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

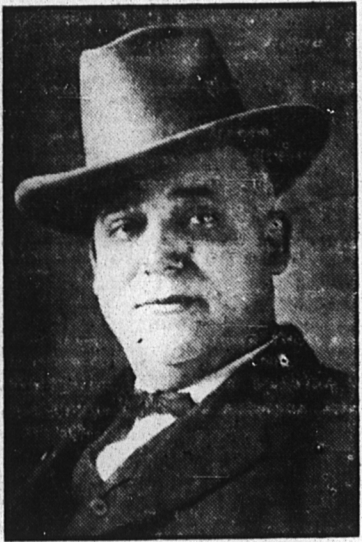
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Democratic Ticket.

Governor—A. O. Stanley.
Lieutenant-Governor — James D. Black.
Secretary of State—Barksdale Hamlett.
Auditor—Robt. L. Greene.
Treasurer—Sherman Goodpaster.
Attorney General—M. M. Logan.
Superintendent Instruction—V. O. Gilbert.
Commissioner of Agriculture—Mat S. Cohen.
Clerk of Court of Appeals—Rodman Keenon.
For Representative from Boyd and Lawrence counties, A. J. Scott.
For Circuit Judge, M. M. Redwine.
For Commonwealth's Attorney, John M. Waugh.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES
FOR CITY COUNCIL.

W. E. Queen G. R. Burgess.
H. G. Wellman C. B. Bromley.
G. S. Wilson N. D. Waldeck.

Stanley stands like the Rock of Gibraltar against every species of imperialism and special privilege.

Rev. H. B. Hewlett for Circuit Clerk of Lawrence county should be especially remembered by the voters next Tuesday.

Judge Redwine wants to be elected to the bench one time. He has served by appointment two short terms, but never by election.

For the higher education of Masonic orphans a trust fund of \$150,000 was created yesterday by the Kentucky Grand Lodge of Masons.

Indorsements of the Administration's plan to create a great continental army for defense are beginning to reach Washington from employing firms and corporations.

Five thousand voters of Breathitt and adjoining counties Friday gathered in Jackson to welcome and hear the address of A. O. Stanley, Democratic nominee for Governor.

A State campaign against the trading stamp, the floating debtor, mail order houses and adverse legislation was started by the Louisville House Furnishers' Association.

Remember that a man who will buck up against organized trusts in defense of the horny handed sons of toil is a worthy leader. And that is what Stanley has had the courage to do.

Now that the thunderous tones of the mountains have acclaimed their allegiance to the cause of Mr. Owsley Stanley and democracy, let the rest of the state acquiesce in the same way.

A German woman in Sasan, Selesia, has been sent to prison for nine months for offering to marry a Russian prisoner of war.

She should have waited until 1916.

Should the race be close every Democrat in the State will regret it. We have the votes. Let's cast them. Let no Democrat be compelled to say to himself on the morning of November 2nd, "I wish I had gone to the polls."

President Wilson has written a letter to Senator James declaring his interest in the election of Mr. Stanley as Governor of Kentucky and urging Democrats to rally to his support.

Every Democrat is proud of President Wilson, whose achievements will go down in history as the greatest on record. Indorse him by going to the polls next Tuesday and stamping under the rooster.

All the gold of Ophir cannot stop Owsley Stanley from his onward march towards the governorship. He has set the mountains ablaze with enthusiasm, and never before was there a democrat who was received with such homage and delight. Thousands of voters who have heretofore affiliated with the republicans are coming to his assistance.

John M. Waugh is a native of Lawrence county. He has attained his prominent standing entirely by his own efforts and ability. Let Lawrence county roll up a big majority for him next Tuesday.

If Kentucky goes Democratic by a good majority this year it will be a handsome boost for the National campaign next year and will encourage Democrats all over the country. Let's not disappoint our national leaders—Frankfort State Journal.

President Wilson's watchful waiting policy in Mexico has resulted in the best possible way for the United States. He invited the South American nations to join in conferences on the grave situation and definite action followed that makes it unnecessary for us to go to war.

Every vote cast for Stanley means one more mile of good road. Every mile of good road means six more children at school. Every child at school means a better salary earner and more money circulating in Kentucky. How are you going to vote?

The elimination of the liquor question from the campaign has made it possible for the Democrats to present a united front in Kentucky this year. Both parties have the same platform on this question and are pledged to leave the laws alone as they now stand.

Mexico again has a government that is recognized by the other countries of the world. Caranza is the head of the accredited government. Revolution is still abroad in Mexico, but Caranza is in much better position now to quell these uprisings than heretofore.

Charges of political preferment on the part of Ben Marshall and Josh T. Griffith, internal revenue collectors of Kentucky, in the matter of assignments of revenue men, preferred by Congressman J. W. Langley, Republican, have been dismissed by the Civil Service Commission as without foundation.

State Treasurer Tom Rhea of Kentucky refuted Republican claims that interest on State deposits under the Wilson administration was greater than during the Democratic regime by pointing out that the daily balances were not figured, which would give the Democratic figures \$44,531 against \$39,319, a reversal of the facts.

Business is excellent all over the country. Railroads are so busy they can scarcely take care of the demands. Mills are running night and day and all labor that wants employment has it at good wages. Mines are active. Merchants are beginning to get the benefits which come to them a little behind the boom in other lines. The new currency laws have abolished panics and the people have cause to rejoice.

The Democrats of Kentucky must stand shoulder to shoulder against the common enemy. They should forget the disappointments that came to some of them in the primary. Last year, after Beckham beat him in the primary for the nomination for the United States Senate, Stanley got behind Beckham and stumped the state from one end to the other in Beckham's behalf. The men who supported McChesney and McDermott in the primary are following the example set by Stanley and showing that, in spite of differences within the party, all Kentucky Democrats stand together after their nominations are made.

"Prospects are unusually bright for a Democratic landslide in Kentucky," said Gov. McCreary. "I have been over the State a good deal, and men who have come to my office at Frankfort have brought me glowing reports of the political outlook. The Democratic party in the State has been, and is being, well organized, and the Democratic State Campaign Committee has done work of inestimable value in perfecting a party organization."

Gov. McCreary, who will be a member of the party that will make the "swing around the circle" on the Democratic campaign special train, will deliver his closing speech of the campaign at Richmond—his home town—Monday.

PARAGRAPHS FROM McDERMOTT'S CONVENTION SPEECH.

All concede that the gentleman who has nominated is a man of great ability, that all the walks of life in which he has been thrown, he has rendered splendid services.

In congress, he attracted attention. In his race for United States Senator he displayed great power as a popular orator, and also gathered around him a circle of ardent and enthusiastic friends who made this race easy for him.

He is well fitted, indeed, to lead in this campaign in the coming fall and I have no doubt of his election. I wish to say on behalf of the democratic organization of Louisville that we will give him our cordial support.

PARAGRAPHS FROM STANLEY'S SPEECHES.

"I unearthed the ground wire that connected the Senate of the United States with 111 Fifth Ave., New York, between the desk of Nelson A. Aldrich and the home of the trusts."

"I had spread upon the record of Congress the checks and vouchers, the indisputable proof of their scoundrel sins."

"Will the intelligent citizenship of Kentucky entrust a party with power that knows nothing of invisible government, or knowing is too timid or corrupt to give you its solemn pledge to destroy it?"

"If elected Governor of Kentucky I solemnly and earnestly pledge the people of the Commonwealth here, and now that I will turn the calcium light upon the lobbyist and upon all who seek to procure positions of honor or privilege by any secret or unholy alliance with him."

The keynote of the ideals of Government that have moved A. O. Stanley during his public career were voiced in a few words by Stanley himself in an extemporaneous speech he delivered at the state fair in Louisville on September 16th. The gubernatorial candidate was speaking of good roads and during the course of his speech said:

"What has preserved this govern-

ment for 150 years or more? I will tell you: The plain citizen seated in a cane bottom chair on a rug carpet, before an open fire place, with a Bible on his knees and his family grouped about him, his head bowed, simply and reverently asking God to guide him through the night, and arising in the fear of that same God at dawn, to take up the simple tasks of the day, his votes with no thought of profit to himself, but for the good of his family and the honor of his country and the glory of his God. This is the power upon which this republic rests, and must forever rest."

Paragaphs From McChesney.

May I recall something that happened about the 8th or August in Anderson county. I was making a speech and smiling. I indulged in the statement that the smile would not come off, and some one way back in the audience yelled, "We will take it off tomorrow." But he didn't know how good a democrat I am.

This is the first time I ever saw a platform offered that there was not a fight on. It is the first time I ever saw three reports, one after another, adopted without a dissenting voice.

It ought to make every democrat in Kentucky happy and I am sure it does. What does all this enthusiasm mean? It means victory in November.

We have differed. Some of us believed one way and conscientiously. I am sure there is not a democrat in Kentucky that doubts but that I followed the dictates of my conscience in the position I took, but above all questions of personal opinions is the great has the right to rule. The majority has spoken and I cheerfully submit to the will of the majority.

When you go to vote on November 2nd remember the two amendments to the constitution. They read as follows:

Constitutional Amendment No. 1.

Are you in favor of the proposed Constitutional Amendment which will allow the use and employment of convict labor outside of the walls of the penitentiary for the purpose of constructing or reconstructing and maintaining public roads and bridges and preparing material for public roads and bridges, and work on the State farm or farms?

Constitutional Amendment No. 2.

Are you in favor of the proposed Constitutional Amendment to Section 171 of the Constitution of Kentucky, which proposed amendment will extend the power to the General Assembly to enact laws to divide property into classes for the purpose of taxation and to determine what class or classes of property shall be subject to local taxation, and to exempt from taxation bonds of the State and of Counties, municipalities, and taxing and school districts, and which amendment provides that laws passed pursuant to said amendment shall be subject to the referendum power of the people?

The penitentiary at Frankfort makes a profit of \$40,000 to \$50,000 per year, above expenses and improvements. The Eddyville penitentiary shows a loss of \$10,000 to \$20,000 per year, because it has capacity for only half the number of convicts, and the expenses of operation are necessarily larger in proportion to the earning capacity than the Frankfort prison. The two penitentiaries combined are each year paying a surplus into the State treasury.

The Houses of Reform near Lexington have the care of nearly 500 boys and girls, both white and colored. The cost of maintaining this institution, with its close supervision, its schools and industrial training is necessarily a considerable sum. Various trades are taught there and the boys and girls are now turning out practical products that are being sold for a considerable total each month. This is incidental, however, as the object of the reform school is to reclaim the State's worst children. No one expects it to be a money-making enterprise, or anything except an expense to the State, like the insane asylums and the feeble minded institute. It is one of the most important institutions of the State and is doing good work.

This statement is made here to illustrate the inaccuracy of Mr. Morrow's campaign speeches. He takes the total cost of running the reform school, and of making the necessary improvements and adding to buildings and equipments, and includes this with the penitentiaries in order to claim that the prisons of Kentucky are being run at a financial loss.

The reform school should not be classed as a prison. The several buildings are scattered over a 200-acre tract of beautiful blue grass land, six miles from Lexington. Not even a fence surrounds the front of the grounds. In no particular has it the appearance of a jail or prison. Schools are conducted all the year, teaching the common school branches. Shops are maintained covering the trades of machinist, blacksmith, foundryman, carpenter, cabinet-maker, shoe maker, tailor, printer, plumber, broom maker, harness maker, laundryman, painting. Farming is done extensively.

The girls are taught all the things embraced in a modern domestic science course.

Does Mr. Morrow think he could make money for the State with the reform school? Does he conceive this to be the duty of the authorities in charge of the unfortunate children who are growing up under such unfavorable environments that it becomes necessary for the State to try to redeem them to good citizenship? No, Mr. Morrow does not believe this. He is simply juggling facts and figures for political effect. The voters must make allowance for this policy all the way through his speeches.

EXTRACTS FROM SENATOR BECKHAM'S SPEECH.

Falmouth, Oct. 18s.—"Let's elect the Democratic ticket that was nominated and keep Kentucky in control of the Democratic party."

"Will the Republicans fool the people again? Why try the same Doctor when he has killed three patients?"

"I am a Democrat and in the Democratic party the majority rules, therefore I am for the whole ticket."

"It is our duty to send to Woodrow Wilson a message of encouragement. Let us encourage him by a big Democratic majority in Kentucky on November 2nd."

You don't have to buy expensive draptries to beautify the home. Our Drapery Department affords you splendid opportunity to secure materials for tasteful decoration at low cost.

OUR NEW DISPLAY OF JUAKER LACE CURTAINS, DRAPERY LACES, and COLONIAL DRAPERY FABRICS IS WORTHY OF EVERY HOMEMAKER'S INSPECTION.

THERE IS AN INDIVIDUALITY ABOUT THE DESIGNS THAT COME FROM THE WOMAN WHO ENJOYS A DISTINCTIVE TOUCH IN HER HOME.

YOU WILL FIND A WIDE AND INTERESTING VARIETY TO SELECT FROM.

Also, Elegant
Line of Rugs

The Anderson-Newcomb Co.
On Third Avenue
Huntington, W. Va.

GREAT GAINS IN BIG SANDY.

Edgar H. Phipps and W. T. Womack, both prominent Democrats of Grayson, Carter-co., were visitors in Louisville yesterday. Mr. Phipps, who is a traveling salesman, covers the Big Sandy country, said that the Democrats would make unprecedented gains in that section of the State. He said he knew of many Republicans who would vote for Stanley and the rest of the Democratic ticket in the interest of the development of Eastern Kentucky. Mr. Womack said he had found the same thing wherever he had gone—Louisville Times.

BUYING REGISTERED CATTLE.

Cattletsburg, Ky., Oct. 25, 1915. I am with a few Lawrence county farmers on our way to purchase some registered Shorthorns at the auction sale of Mr. T. J. Bigstaff, of Mt. Sterling. Several farmers expect to go on a purchasing trip later in the season. I have organized three farmers clubs and the members are taking active interest in the feeding as well as the breeding of live stock. In the half dozen schools I have just visited I found several boys anxious to take up Pig Club work. A little later we will have a very pleasant announcement for the boys interested in pure bred pigs at a reduced price.

On last Wednesday I had the fortune or misfortune to treat three sick animals that were not in the county when I arrived, two registered Shorthorns and one registered Hereford. We are always glad to have any irregularity on the farm or in the barn yard reported promptly.

On my way in from Webbville I learned of an outbreak of blackleg in cattle near Deephole. This disease is becoming more widespread every month and farmers should be using the precaution of vaccinating their cattle.

Yours truly,
E. S. KEGLEY, Co. Agent.

DON'T WAIT.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF A LOUISA CITIZEN'S EXPERIENCE.

When the back begins to ache, Don't wait until backache becomes chronic. Tell kidney troubles develop. Tell urinary troubles destroy night's rest.

Profit by a Louisa woman's experience.

Mrs. Sarah Pigg, Louisa, says: "My back ached and I could hardly endure the dull, heavy pains. I was weak and tired and had no ambition. I had nervous headaches and dizzy spells and was annoyed by the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the Louisa Drug Store, regulated the kidney action and rid me of the suffering." (Statement given June 22nd, 1909.)

OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mrs. Pigg said: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills made has been permanent. All I said when I recommended them before, still holds good."

MORGAN COUNTY.

Elkfork, Morgan-co., Ky., 10/25/15.

Editor Big Sandy News:

As far as can be learned there is not going to be any reduction in the Democratic majority usually given in Morgan county. On the 23rd of this month our distinguished Congressman, Hon. W. J. Fields, made an eloquent speech in behalf of the Democratic party. Mr. Fields is an able speaker. He brought the great questions that have come before President Wilson and how the President handled the great work. Mr. Fields made this so plain as to deeply impress every one that heard him. I am 72 years of age. Was a soldier in

the Civil War. I rode horseback over the mountains 8 miles to hear Mr. Fields. As I have many friends in Lawrence, Carter, Elliott and Martin counties that will read this letter I want to call their attention, as this might be my last opportunity for us all to stay in line, to hold the Hon. W. J. Fields in Congress as long as he works for the common people the way he has been working. He has stood like a stone wall for the common people. Good bye friends.

HENRY M. HUTCHISON.

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court rendered at its August term 1915 in the case of John J. Thompson, etc., vs. J. M. Turner, undersigned Commissioner of said court will, on Monday the 15th day of November, 1915, at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., being County Court day, offer for sale to the highest bidder the following described certificates of stock of The Busseyville Oil and Gas Co., or so much thereof as may be necessary to produce the sum of \$414.80 with interest at six per cent. from August 3, 1914, and costs of said action, subject to total credits of \$170, total to be realized \$272.89. Said stock described as follows, to-wit: Ten shares of the stock of the said Busseyville Oil and Gas Co., numbered as follows: No. 192 for five shares; Nos. 193-194-195-196 and 197 for one share each, all of the par value of \$25.00 each, in all ten shares as aforesaid, said stock being appraised at \$75.00 per share, or \$750.

TERMS: Sale will be made on a credit of six months, purchaser to give bond with approved security payable to undersigned.

11-12-31.
F. L. STEWART, M. C. L. C. C.

RICHARDSON.

Bro. Hill, the pastor at this place closed an old-time revival here Friday which had been going on for the past three weeks. He had wonderful success, the crowds being very large. There were seven conversions and four additions to the church and many of the old members came back anew. He will baptize at the river here the second Sunday in next month at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Ladies Aid was reorganized and they are working hard and praying for a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Maynard of Whitehouse spent Saturday here.

Dr. and Mrs. Wray attended the funeral of Mrs. McClure Saturday at Gallup.

Mrs. Woodford has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Shepherd at this place.

Miss Josephine Cassell spent Sunday with Miss Gracie Williams of Gnats creek.

Walter Davis, who is very low with typhoid fever is no better at this writing.

H. C. Hollbrook spent Wednesday in this town.

Mrs. Sarah Preston of Patrick was shopping here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cassell of Peach Orchard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cassell of this place.

JIMMIE.

CHURCH BAZAAR.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church will hold the annual bazaar for the benefit of the church on Dec. 10-11. Place of holding will be announced later.

New Jewelry Store

Watches, Clocks, Silverware
Rings, Pins, Chains,
Spectacles,

In fact everything in the line of Jewelry
and Optical Goods.

Repair work a Specialty.

Good line of Stationery

Choice Cigars and Tobacco.

Fred Dixon
Graduate Watchmaker

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LADIES SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, STYLISH MILLINERY, SHOES, DRY GOODS,
WALLPAPER, RUGS, MATTING, PRICES ALWAYS LOWEST.

BETTER GOODS FOR LESS

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

MONEY BACK AT ANYTIME FOR ANYTHING

CAN YOU BEAT IT?

New Fall Goods

We have received a large shipment of all kinds of up-to-date dress goods, from calicoes to silks, too numerous to mention.

YOU Mothers buy your children's school dresses early to get first choice.

Remember our GROCERY line is ALWAYS kept full of FRESH staple GROCERIES, and SLICED MEATS.

We also keep an excellent line of SHOES for the whole family.

We want YOU on our list of the MANY satisfied customers.

A. L. BURTON

LOUISA, KY.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, October 29, 1915.



Oh, Fudge!

A wealthy young fellow named Sutor has proposed to a maiden named Kooter.

But the maiden is cold. And she spurns all his cold. As a suitor this Sutor don't suit her. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

SEE PIERCE'S NEWEST FALL MILLINERY. YOU WILL KNOW.

Richard Adkins, of Virgie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brewer.

Fresh oysters and celery at A. L. Burton's every Saturday.

Mrs. Augustus Snyder entertained the Flinch Club Thursday afternoon.

LOOK ELSEWHERE—THEN GO TO PIERCE'S—YOU WILL KNOW.

District Superintendent W. H. Daventport preached at the M. E. Church Sunday night.

PIERCE'S SQUARE DEAL STORE. Money Back Anytime—For Anything.

Next Sunday will be Halloween, a time when miscreants who never had anything to lose injure and carry away the property of others.

Buy your photograph supplies from Atkins & Vaughan, Louisa, Ky.

George Calvin, of Ashland, came up Monday and bought several head of fine cattle.

Atkins and Vaughan for high grade Jewelry and Stationery. We guarantee everything. 7-9-tf.

L. T. Lloyd, business teacher at the K. N. C., has taken rooms for house-keeping at the residence of Mrs. Mary Roberts.



Listen!

The Store That Succeeds Now-days Must Give Service. Service Means Quality. Honesty and Vel-ue Received.

That's Our Platform, and That Is What You Get Here

You Will Become a Permanent Customer if We Please You

D. C. SPENCER
LOUISA, KENTUCKY.

Miss Mary Caldwell, formerly of this city but now living in Beckley, W. Va., recently submitted to a serious surgical operation. Her Louisa friends will be glad to learn that she has recovered.

WANTED:—A man with \$300 to buy half interest in and manager 200 acre farm. On good road, some timber, good coal and fences. Well and spring watered. House and out buildings. Don't answer unless you mean business. W. C. HANEY, R. R. 2, Wheelersburg, Ohio. 22-5-3t.

Dr. U. G. McClure and wife, of Putnam, W. Va., Mrs. Rec. Vaughan, of Fleming county, and Mrs. Julia Tetterton, of Inez, attended the funeral of Mrs. Jane McClure at GaChap Saturday.

The Moonlight Schools have opened at Ashland. The one at the Wythe building will be in charge of Atty. L. A. Zerous and the one at the Bayless building will be in charge of Rev. W. M. Given of the M. E. Church South. All volunteer teachers are requested to be present.

Among the large number who attended the funeral of Mrs. Jane McClure were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure, J. B. McClure, Earl McClure, Mrs. Nancy Billups, T. B. Billups, Rev. and Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hughes, Mrs. Vic Hammons, Miss Madge Hammons, Mrs. T. D. Wallace, Mrs. Lizzy Burgess, Mrs. Bascom Muncey, Mrs. Flem McHenry, Wm. Carey, Augustus Snyder, P. T. D. Wallace, Jr., G. W. Shivel, Miss Elizabeth Burgess, Geo. Mauger.

On Tuesday evening last a man whose name could not be learned was taken from No. 38 in a state of intoxication. He was locked up in the city prison, and shortly after being taken there he missed his pocket book. The conductor of the train was notified and he reported that the pocket book had been found under the seat the man had occupied, and that it contained about 19 dollars. When the fellow was released he first said the book had contained \$400. Later he reduced the sum to \$226. It is probable that it contained just what had been found.

On last Thursday night Tilden Maynard, whose home is at Williamson, W. Va., but who was visiting relatives in this city, became very noisy and violent in his behavior on the streets. Marshal Smith arrested him and was compelled to put hand cuffs on him before he could subdue him. The officer then placed him in jail for safe keeping. The next morning the boy's uncle, Rev. A. M. Dial, took charge of him.

Maynard is a brother of Daisy Maynard, whose suicide in Williamson was noted in last week's NEWS. She had become insane from brooding over matters concerning "religion."

UP SANDY.

Mrs. Emerick and daughter have gone up the Sandy valley for a visit to relatives, including Paintsville, Louisa, Gallup and other points.—Catlettsburg item.

NEW ARRIVAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Meade are rejoicing over the arrival of a handsome baby son, born Sunday, at the home of Mrs. Harrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McSorley at Buchanan.—Catlettsburg item.

FOOTBALL GAME SATURDAY.

The football teams of Paintsville and Louisa will play on the Louisa grounds Saturday afternoon, Oct. 30, at 1:30 o'clock. The boys would like to see their friends turn out in large numbers on this occasion.

THE STORE THAT WAS BORN WITH LOUISA.

The Old Reliable
Jewelry Store

ESTABLISHED MORE THAN A
QUARTER OF A CENTURY

Anything you want
in Jewellery

All watch repairing by com-
petent workman who has
been Railroad inspector of
watches.

ATKINS & VAUGHAN

Conley's Old Stand

LOUISA, KY.

PERSONAL MENTION.

George Parsons went to Pikeville Saturday.

J. Israsky made a business trip to Cincinnati Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Stewart was shopping in Cincinnati this week.

Mrs. George Atkinson has returned from a visit to Logan.

Mrs. A. W. Bromley was shopping in Huntington this week.

H. C. Sullivan came from Ashland Monday for a short stay.

John Wade, of Paintsville, passed Sunday with Louisa relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Biggs, of Huntington, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. R. Vinson.

Miss Jetty O'Neal is visiting friends and relatives in Ceredo and Huntington.

Mrs. Burt Shannon has returned from a visit to relatives in the country.

Mr. Mosker, a Williamson druggist, was in Louisa a short time last Sunday.

Mrs. D. R. May, of Regina, is visiting the family of her son, L. J. May, of this place.

Mrs. Peter Burgess, of Wilbur, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mat Elam last week.

Misses Lucy Wellman and Clara Ferguson went to Buchanan Sunday to visit friends.

C. L. Miller came home from Frankfort Saturday and visited his family until Monday.

Mrs. George Armstrong, of Catlettsburg, was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. E. Ferguson.

Rev. H. B. Hewlett and daughter, Bessie, were visiting friends at Cordell Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. See, of New Richmond, O., have returned home after visiting their parents here.

Mrs. Wm. Marrs and daughter, Miss Jessie, of Beaver creek, were guests of Mrs. Floyd Wellman last week.

John M. Rice and wife are here from Frankfort. It is safe to say they will remain until Nov. 2nd, at least.

Mrs. Martha Jane Maynard, of Pikeville was the guest of the family of her cousin, R. T. Burns Wednesday.

Morris McClure and little daughter, of Huntington, attended the funeral of Mrs. Jane McClure last Saturday.

Rev. A. J. Carder, member of the Board of Education M. E. Church, was in Louisa Tuesday en route to Ashland.

Mrs. Webb and little granddaughter Ernestine Skaggs have returned from a visit to relatives near Busseyville.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Graham, and children have returned from a visit to his mother, Mrs. L. M. Graham, of Ellen, Ky.

William Lynch, a son, and Fred Lynch, a grandson, of Sciotoville, O., attended the burial of Fenner Lynch, of Saltper Sunday.

Mrs. Lou Baumgardner, a prominent Huntington lady, was visiting her nieces, Mrs. Robert Burchett and Mrs. James Vinson, this week.

David Burton, a prominent citizen of the Georges creek country, was here Tuesday, the guest of his son, A. L. Burton.

After a visit of several weeks to her sister, Mrs. R. T. Burns, Mrs. Julia Perry left Tuesday for her home in Maxwell, Okla.

Mrs. Jas. Brewer has returned from Yeager, Ky., where she spent 10 days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marrs.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Shank have returned from a visit to Mr. Shank's father, who lives in Ohio, not far from Huntington.

Mrs. George Adams returned Sunday from Terra Haute, Ind., where she had visited her sister, Mrs. A. C. McClure.

Miss Muriel Hoagland came from Pikeville Thursday and passed a few days with her sister, Miss Maud Hoagland, of Louisa.

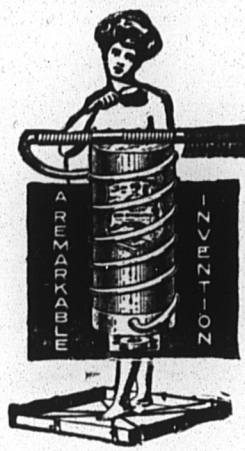
Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, of Huntington, visited Mrs. Wheeler's father, the Rev. French Rice, at Yatesville several days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tibbos, of Huntington, were visiting Rev. and Mrs. McElwain from Saturday until Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Hamilton, of Adamsville, Tenn., are the guests of their brother and sister, the Rev. and Mrs. Ouis Hamilton, of this city.

Miss Moore, nurse at Riverview hospital, went to Buchanan Chapel Tuesday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Miss Esther Burton.

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A FEW COUNTY AGENTS WANTED.

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HAROLD, KY.

Mrs. Jas. Q. Lackey returned Thursday evening from a delightful visit of several weeks with relatives in Cypress, Ind., Cincinnati, O., Frankfort and Catlettsburg.

Miss Lizzie O'Neal and Miss Annis O'Neal, of Busseyville, were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Neal. Miss Annis was returning from a visit in Catlettsburg.

Mrs. A. A. Coach, of Cleveland, O., daughter of Josephine Wellman and D. A. Campbell, visited relatives in this city and Ft. Gay this week. She was with her uncle, W. M. Wellman of Catlettsburg.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Hewlett, and daughter, Miss Bessie, of this city expect to attend the Wells reunion in Johnson county. Mrs. Hewlett is a great grand-daughter of the old Revolutionary soldier, Richard Wells.

Local gas manager Kirk enjoyed a visit from his wife and little son Ed. W. Jr., and his daughter, Miss Mabel, last week. Mrs. Kirk and the boy and Miss Mabel left Tuesday for a visit to Franklin, Pa. Mrs. Kirk's former home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Roote, after a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Albert Murray, have gone to New York to visit his relatives. Mr. Roote was electrician and general handy man at the coal mines at Garrett, Ky.

Miss Ethel Pinson attended the basketball meeting at Dunlow last Sunday.

Mrs. Rec. Vaughan, of Catlettsburg, is the guest of her relative, Mrs. Cynthia Stewart.

Traber McGlothlin and family, of East Fork, have been visiting relatives in Louisa and Glenhays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. MacKubin, of Glenhays, were here Tuesday night on their way home from points below.

Mrs. Kate Shannon paid the NEWS office a pleasant call Thursday. She has been in Ashland lately, visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Songer.

Miss Ethel Pinson has for her guests Miss Effie Perry, of Dunlow, Miss Norma Ratcliff, of Glenhays, and Mrs. Frank Roberts, of Greenup.

Miss Pearl Holt, of Busseyville, returned Monday from Paintsville, where she had been to see her sister, Mrs. G. B. Carter. Mrs. Carter has been very sick, but is now better.

PROF. CLARKE.

Prof. George Clarke, principal of the Mountain Training School at Hindman, and regarded as one of the leading educators in all Kentucky, has accepted a place with the Kentucky Normal College at Louisa and will teach there this winter. Prof. Clarke is well known to the people of Letcher county, and in fact the entire section of Eastern Kentucky and the school at Louisa could hardly have made a better selection. The NEWS wishes him every success. —Whitesburg News.

A High School Plan in Johnson County.

The Sandy Valley Seminary at Paintsville is in charge of that live school man, W. B. Ward. This institution has a good administration building, one of the finest and most beautifully located dormitories in the State and a good campus.

Seeing the need of high school education among the teachers of the county, Professor Ward has made the following plan which looks good. He is offering to direct the study of the country teachers, while they are teaching, in high school history and high school English, counting such home work when tested, as one-half unit each when they enter school at Paintsville in the winter. They then take up the rest of the year's work, undertaking to do nine months' work in five or six months. Mr. Ward believes that these mature men and women from twenty to thirty years of age can do and will do as much work in five months as the average high school pupil can do or will do in nine months. It must be kept in mind that these people, who are offered this opportunity to do high school work, know the common branches far better than graduates of high schools know them.

It is a unique experiment, worthy of the good school man backing it, and the teachers who are taking advantage of it. About thirty mature teachers have expressed their determination to do this work.

The great need of Kentucky teachers is better scholarship. It is time that stuffing for examination should be stopped. Schools that offer teachers opportunities for higher and broader scholarship should be encouraged.

HAMLETT'S REPLY TO E. P. MORROW

Hopkins County Voters Hear Every Charge Explained

EDUCATION ADVANCED

Kentucky Climbs from Forty-third to
Near the Top Within Three Years
Under Hamlett's Administration—
Shows How Economy Has Been
Practiced.

Hundreds of Democrats from Western Kentucky gathered in Madisonville, Hopkins County, on October 4th, and listened attentively to the opening of the campaign by Barkdale Hamlett, present Superintendent of Public Instruction and Democratic nominee for Secretary of State at the general election on Tuesday, November 2, 1915.

Mr. Hamlett was liberally applauded and it is quite evident that the solid Democracy is behind him. He answered every charge made against him by the Republican nominee for Governor, Edwin P. Morrow, and showed of gross extravagance in the last Republican administration.

A verbatim account of his address follows:

Fellow Citizens:
In this campaign, as the Democratic nominee for Secretary of State, and the present Superintendent of Public Instruction, I am addressing myself particularly to what Democracy has done for education in Kentucky, and to an offensive reply to the Honorable Edwin P. Morrow, who has viciously attacked an Administration that has done more for the cause of popular education and the improvement of the public schools of Kentucky than has been done by all Republican administrations in the history of the State, or would be done by any that might come in the future.

There is a natural hostility on the part of Republican leaders to popular education and progressive movements tending to the building of a great Commonwealth. Thomas Jefferson, aside from being the author of the Declaration of Independence, counted it his next greatest achievement that he used the remaining best efforts of his life in building a public school system for Virginia; and in planning a model for America; and we honor Jefferson in his posthumous glory as much for this as for any of his other great achievements.

Progress Under Democracy.
From the beginning of our public school system in Kentucky all progress and improvement in the system has been accomplished when the affairs of State were in the hands of Democrats and Democratic Legislatures.

We have modeled our system after the plan of Jefferson, the founder of Democracy and the Democratic Party of America. We have developed in spite of the opposition of such small politicians as Morrow, R. "Pea" Green, the illiterate "Broncho" Franks, the intrepid "Bunk-failure" Bruner, the wise and austere one-time Democrat, Walker, the millionaire mountaineer Lewis, who, I am informed, has handled school funds in times past, and others of this ilk whom I have neither space nor time to mention, a system of public education commensurate in its efficiency to that of any commonwealth in America. I exclaim, as Cicero did, "O tempora, O mores;" and with the Bard of Avon, "Alack the day" when such men, clothed in Catilinarian habiliments, should parade themselves before an intelligent public and dare to stand in the way of educational progress—who would attempt to deny to the children of this Commonwealth their rightful heritage which they should enjoy, liberally, through an equitable distribution of the State's equipment.

I am glad to state to the people of Kentucky that I know, from written and verbal evidence, that even the thinking, sober citizenship of the Republican Party of Kentucky today condemn such men and their insidious aspersions, directed at the bed-rock and foundation of the existence, maintenance, and progress of a great Commonwealth.

From Forty-third to Near Top.
Since 1911, when the Republican Party was dethroned by an overwhelming majority, on account of promises made by Democrats in a platform of principles, Kentucky has moved from the forty-third in the scale of illiteracy close to the top, and today stands in the vanguard of Commonwealths of America. In fact, the eyes of the whole nation are upon her, and she is pronounced by the leaders of every State as the one State that is leading today in education and the dissemination of knowledge.

Schools Increased 45%.
We have not only increased the attendance in our public schools forty-five per cent within three years, but we have added to the revenues for school purposes, directly and indirectly, more than three millions of dollars. We have increased the school term in every rural district from six months to seven months, increasing at the same time in the aggregate all teachers' salaries, and in many cases the term has been made eight, nine or ten months, all of which has been done without a mill increase in taxation. In fact, the rate of taxation which was formerly twenty-six cents and a half on the hundred dollars for public school purposes has been decreased to twenty-six cents.

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Replies to E. P. Morrow.
Now, for the present, I pass over Mr. Morrow's sophomoric ebullitions in which he states that "political campaigns are primarily for the benefit of the people," etc. But I come directly to certain specific statements that he made in his opening speech at Bowling Green.

We have today a balance in the school fund of one million dollars. At the corresponding date in 1911, under a Republican administration, there was a balance of \$314,084. We promised the people of Kentucky four years ago "most rigid economy" in the Department of Education, and we stated to the people that we would not stand for any diversion of the school funds, since it was, and is, clearly in violation of statutory law and the Constitution of Kentucky. We condemned unequivocally misappropriation of school funds. Mr. Morrow speaks of "large cash balances." I will show you why their balances were not so large. Their books, December 30, 1911, show a credit to the Sinking Fund of \$73,827.84; School Fund, \$445,014.43; total balance, \$518,842.27; deficit, General Expenditure Fund, \$249,123.33. They turned over to Mr. Thomas S. Rhea a Treasury balance, School Fund and all, January 1, of \$269,718.94.

I would like to know why they did not turn over that "sacred and inviolate" school fund, under the law and Constitution, of \$445,014.43. I would like to know now, for what purpose, and why they misappropriated those funds, and what they temporarily did with those funds.

From this you can see why their cash balances were not so large. I need not quote you Section 184 of the Constitution, nor Section 4371 of the Statute and Section 4372, wherein is stated, "Except as otherwise expressly provided in this chapter, no part of the common school fund, nor of the revenues thereof, shall be used for any other purpose than the payment of the teachers of the common schools." And Section 4373, which states, "The Auditor shall keep accounts in relation to this fund. He shall once in each month make a transfer to the credit of said fund, all receipts into the Treasury, with the sources of each item, for the benefit of the common schools, up to the date of said transfer." Section 4371 states, referring to a previous section and to the Constitution, "The foregoing shall constitute the annual resources of the school fund of Kentucky and shall be paid into the Treasury and shall not be drawn out for appropriated except to pay the expenses of the State Department of Education of whatever kind or character."

I want to know what this Republican administration did with this \$445,014.43, or such part of it as was unaccounted for when they turned over to Mr. Rhea, the new State Treasurer, altogether, school fund, and everything else, the sum of \$269,718.94. At the time when it was done, I personally called the attention of Mr. Farley, the Republican Treasurer, to the fact that there appeared to me to be "something rotten in Denmark." This gentleman facetiously stated that I had "much to learn," and that I would discover soon that the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction was regarded, among Republicans, as an insignificant position "without authority," and that I had better "keep quiet" and do as Republicans had done, leaving such matters to those "higher up."

Economy of Present Administration.
This present Democratic Administration has kept inviolate and sacred every penny of the school fund. Hence, the "large balances in the Treasury" that have been referred to, and for which this Administration has been viciously attacked. When there was this balance of \$445,014.43, shown by their own books, to the credit of the School fund, they deliberately refused to pay a warrant of \$108,756.50, and this warrant had been paid due the teachers of Kentucky since October 5, 1911. What were they doing with this "sacred" and "inviolable" fund? They used these "sacred and inviolate" funds for the retirement of State warrants and for the purpose of showing a "small cash balance" in the Treasury. In the meantime the poor school teacher went without her pay, three months past due, while the Xmas holidays were passing and the rigor of winter fast approaching.

Republican's Extravagance.
I have in my hands the photograph of a transaction that should bring "iron tears" to Pluto's cheeks, and make the angels in Heaven blush. I hold here the photograph of the "rape" of Kentucky's childhood's opportunity, the embezzlement of childhood's sacred heritage. I have here and present as an exhibit, the picture of a warrant for \$1,800, payable to an undertaker out of the school fund of Kentucky, and charged to the school fund of Kentucky for materials furnished in the erection of the State Capitol building. I have before me in my hands a photograph of an agreement under the terms of which \$3,761.29 was to be paid, and was paid out of the school fund of Kentucky for work done in various offices, including that of the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Attorney General, Adjutant General, and for the office of the Clerk of the House, Senate, and for other work done on the third floor in the new Capitol. This was payable to an undertaker and paid out of the school fund of Kentucky, which the Constitution and the statutory law both require to be "inviolable" and "sacred."

I have a photograph of a document filed in the records of this transaction, which reads as follows:
"O. K.
"Charge to J. G. Crabbe (School Fund).
"According to agreement with commission for altering Hall of Fame.
C. M. Fleener."
"This estimate was allowed and ordered paid by Board of State Capitol Commissioners, June 7, 1909."
Edward M. Drane, Secretary.

I have also before me a duplicate of a contract made and entered into between the Capitol Commission of this Republican Administration, under the terms of which these school funds were paid to a Republican undertaker; and this agreement and contract approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction under this administration.

Incidentally, I might mention an item of \$15.00 that was paid out of the school fund for six small silk curtains about the size of a pocket handkerchief, to be used in the Hall of Fame, that the light of day might be shut out from these precincts wherein were supposed to reside the hope of Kentucky's childhood, and the future of Kentucky's manhood and citizenship.

I want you to note that this same Dr. Bruner, who was a member of the State Board of Education at the time, and a member of the State Capitol Commission at the time, and who is the same Dr. Bruner who presided over the destinies of the now defunct Commercial Bank and Trust Co. of Louisville, voted for and authorized by his vote this unholy diversion of a "sacred fund," and that he was a member of the Sinking Fund Commission, charged under the Constitution with the protection of this fund; and the same Dr. Bruner who attacks this present Administration in its management of the school finances of Kentucky.

I want you to note that Mr. R. "Pea" Green, who is the Republican nominee for Superintendent of Public Instruction, endorses all of this, and that he is the same Mr. Green who is an Indiana carpet-bag Republican, hardly yet a naturalized Kentuckian, and who has been fed at the public crib of Kentucky by the hands of Democrats, for years, as a "professor" in the State Normal School at Bowling Green.

Explains Morrow's Charges.

Now, referring to certain items in Mr. Morrow's Bowling Green speech, to wit: \$63.75 for motor car service, charged to the credit of this present Administration, and it is a credit to this present Administration, that this money was spent on behalf of the restoration of decency in the conduct of teachers' examinations in Kentucky. Mr. Morrow and his associates know that this expense for motor car services covered a period of more than two months and that this service was rendered by your humble servant as Inspector of Schools and as a public officer, doing his duty to conserve the very bed-rock, foundation and morale of the public school system of the State. As a result of the expenditure of this money, there has been no more stealing and selling of examination questions in Kentucky and the illicit traffic has been completely broken up and eliminated.

He refers to an item of \$45 for taxi cab services in the city of Louisville. He knows that this was paid as of one date, as is customary, but that it covers items extending over more than a month, dark and winter nights, in an effort to assist in the recovery of \$100,000 back taxes due the school fund in the Highland Park Graded School District from the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. The records of the Jefferson Circuit Court show that this money was recovered and paid over on account of the efforts of your humble servant in the prosecution of this case. He refers to a small item of \$2.85 on account of two meals on a dining car between Frankfort and Paducah, and other items expended on account of this same trip to Paducah, which covered a period of three days, amounting altogether to \$28.65 in all. He knows that this was a legal expenditure of money, and fruitful of results of which the State today is proud. On account of a call and a summons from the Livingston County Circuit Court, demanding the service of your humble servant and the speaker, in a case involving the prosecution of a County Superintendent of Schools, alleged to have embezzled the school funds of the State and county; and the money was recovered.

More G. O. P. Extravagance.

I want to speak briefly of some little expense matters incurred under the Republican Administration. In 1910 there was passed an Act at the instance of the Republican Governor, allowing this Governor \$3,000 for the entertainment of a National Governor's Conference at Frankfort, but on account of some joker left in the bill, this expense was decided to be a permanent appropriation. However, I believe that that is all right and have no criticism to make of it, but let us see how the funds were expended by Republicans. On June 28, 1910, there was charged to the State \$29.00 for one trip to Lexington and return; June 29, \$57.12 for a trip to see Mr. Roosevelt in Louisville, and there is an item of \$23.40 for meals on car, baggage, cab, porterage, and an item of one five cent street car fare. I find on October 29 an item of \$21.62 for trip from Louisville to Bowling Green, for the purpose of making a speech before the Normal School. I notice in this same item of the Bowling Green trip that this Republican Governor paid \$3 for one lunch and that he paid \$1.50 for one supper.

I pass over many items similar to this, including some large sums, all of which were paid on what I conceive and what I feel the present Governor James B. McCreary would conceive to be business of a purely personal nature, and not chargeable to any expense fund allowed by the State.

I find that he charged another five cent street car fare, and 65 cents for porter on December 13, and in addition to this, \$6.50 for "presents" and "courtesies" to chauffeurs of various automobiles, and on account of "courtesies to guests." Next I find a charge of 25 cents for a telegram, here given verbatim: "London, Kentucky, November 5. Miss Nora Brown, Frankfort, Ky. Home 7:35, F. & C. Tell Mansion. Augustus E. Willson." On January 10, the same official was paid \$6.44 for entertainment of visitors and their wives at the Louisville Country Club, which occurred on December 2-10, prior to this date. April 18, 1911, \$60.00 paid to the Capital Motor Car Company for one trip. January 27, 1911, \$25.75 for one funeral design and express charges. They not only divert the school funds of Kentucky and disburse them through an undertaker, but use the general expenditure fund for the purchase of a funeral design to be placed upon the graves of the dead. I do not have to make charges, but merely to state the facts as I am doing.

"I give you the facts and figures of these accounts; I leave judgment to your common sense."
Mr. Morrow made mention of a typewriter desk bought by the Department of Education for \$110, which was a duplicate of a certain similar type of desk bought at the same price from the original contractor and made to order. Now, I want to give you some more figures in regard to this question of the purchase of furniture.

Luxuries Purchased by Republicans.

I find that they bought for the Adjutant General's office a typewriter desk for \$118; for the Insurance Department they paid \$235.00 for another one. They paid \$150 for three easy chairs in the Prison Commission office. In the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction they paid as follows: One desk, \$177; one desk, \$130; one small revolving book case, \$50; one easy chair, \$50; one soft-cushioned sofa, \$125; one umbrella rack, \$16. In the office of Dr. Bruner, the Secretary of State, two desks: \$254; one clothes rack, \$60; one plain oak desk, Department of Agriculture, \$100. The Governor's office: One flat-top desk, \$230; one sofa, \$150; one revolving book case, \$50; one hat rack, \$34; one umbrella stand, \$34; one plain book case, \$235; one typewriter desk, \$217. Again, in the office of Secretary of State, one flat-top desk, \$175; one typewriter desk, \$217; one soft-cushioned sofa, \$140. I am omitting items amounting to thousands of dollars, for lack of time and space to mention them. I do find again for Dr. Bruner's office two more typewriter desks, \$344, not listed separately and one wardrobe for this Secretary of State, \$75. For the Assistant Secretary of State I find a typewriter desk, \$172, and one umbrella rack, \$50. One wooden bench for the lobby of the Auditor's office, \$47.50. In the Treasurer's office, one flat-top desk, \$220; one roll-top desk, \$192; one easy chair, \$185, and many other costly and expensive items. I find a desk for the Librarian's office for \$177. I find three easy chairs at \$85.00, and a great many of what they style as side chairs that amount to thousands of dollars. I do not know what side chairs are intended for, but doubt if there is sufficient space in the entire State Capitol to afford storage room for all of the side chairs bought and paid for under this Republican administration. Expensive luxuries, contracted for by Republicans and paid for by Uncle Sam and John Jones, who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow, pulling the plow line over Lize through hot summer days.

Such figures are a record of service to the people, comparable to that exhibited in the famous Pennsylvania State Capitol graft disclosure. I find that these Republicans bought a number of chairs at a most exorbitant price for pages in the Senate Chamber. Evidently they were preparing for the extra help charged to the Democrats at the present time, and I find another item of \$376 for easy chairs that are never used on any occasion, and four more sofas amounting to \$560. I find an item of \$1,700 for an unnamed number of oak chairs and any amount of money expended for more side chairs, etc.

Mr. Morrow has referred to an item of drinking water. The Republican Administration preceding the present administration, installed at approximately \$90,000, a plant, a part of which was for the purpose of furnishing to the offices in the State Capitol refrigerated water, filtered and refrigerated. It is a well-known fact, Mr. Morrow and his associates know, that this plant, built by his own party, was and is yet an absolute failure, and that that never was supplied by this expensively built plant either filtered or refrigerated water to any Department in the State House. I consider it just as much my right under the law to provide myself and my associates with pure water on hot summer days when serving the people between the hours of 7:00 A. M. and 12:00 at midnight, as any other Department in the State Capitol, and I state that it has been customary among most of the offices to purchase and provide drinking water just as they have purchased and provided ice and other small necessities incident to the conduct of these offices at the expense of the State.

Printing Placed by a Commission.

Mr. Morrow refers to printing bills and printing contracts; he mentions an item of \$6,000 paid in 1912, most of which was contracted for under a Republican administration and paid for by the present administration. This is, therefore, a part of the deficit left by the former Republican administration. He states that all the printing in the Department of Education was contracted for by the State Superintendent—a statement he knows to be false. The State Superintendent of

Public Instruction has no jurisdiction under the law in the matter of letting a printing contract. He (Mr. Morrow) knows that the law provides for a Printing Commission, composed of the Governor, the Secretary of State, the Auditor of Public Accounts, the Attorney General and the Treasurer, and that all printing contracts let for the Department of Education have been subjected to the scrutiny and are directly under the control of the State Printing Commission, as provided by law. He insinuates extravagance in the matter of printing done by this Department. Mr. Morrow endorses in his party platform free text-books, free printing and a seven months' school term, and yet viciously repudiates all of them in his speeches.

Printing Sent to Every School in State.

During the present Administration there have been sent free to the people of Kentucky—Democrats and Republicans alike—more than a half million pieces of printed matter, that have been in a nature sent to them as free text-books. We cite for instance the State Course of Study, which is a text-book in every school in Kentucky and a guide for practically every State in America. In addition to this, we cite the Arbor & Bird Day Book, 25,000 copies of which have been distributed this year free to the people of Kentucky, and which has done more for the conservation of our natural resources and accomplished more in behalf of the conservation of our forests than all else done in the previous history of Kentucky.

This department has distributed free to the people hundreds of thousands of pamphlets, bulletins and books, including the valuable History of Education in Kentucky, and the Official Manual of Kentucky, all of which have been gladly received by the people and for which this department has been most cordially commended. The cost of these publications is but a trifle compared to the great good received by the people of the State. We have no apologies nor any defense to make for any publications issued or any printing that has been done by this department; we have done it for the people; it has been paid for by the people, and the accruing benefits have been received by the people.

G. O. P. Printing Order.

We wish to note, however, for the benefit of an unsuspecting public, that under the previous Republican administration, on December 6, 1911, five days prior to the inauguration of James B. McCreary as Governor, as shown by the orders entered on pages 43 and 44 of the records of the Printing Commission, there was an order made by the Printing Commission directing the Commissioner of Public Printing to let a contract for the publication of nine geological bulletins to certain parties not having the State contract. These parties, represented by certain individuals, were presumed to be the Inter-State Publishing Co. The contract for the printing of these bulletins was approved by George A. Lewis, Superintendent of Public Printing, and presented to the subsequent Democratic administration for approval and payment. This was the first information which the new Printing Commission, composed of James B. McCreary and his associates, received of the fact that their predecessors had authorized the Superintendent of Public Printing to let a contract to persons other than the regular contractor. It is a well-known fact that Mr. Lewis was called before the Commissioners to explain why the contract price of this job of printing was so greatly in excess of the prices for work done under the regular State contract. The Superintendent was required to furnish an estimate of this work under the regular State contract. It was found that the Inter-State Publishing Company was charging \$1,718.50 for what the State, through its regular contract, would be required to pay \$1,165.78. It was also found that county report No. 4, which under the special contract amounted to \$1,702.00, would amount to only \$1,093.00 under the State contract, as would have been let by a Democratic administration and a Democratic Printing Commission. The Democratic Printing Commission refused to pay under this special contract made by Republicans with some spurious Republican beneficiaries, and saved the State on two items, \$1,161.72. It is also a notable fact that this special contract has disappeared and can not be found in the office of the Superintendent of Public Printing.

Turns the Light On.

Now, my friends, there is nothing so clarifying and purifying as sunlight, and I have taken the pains to have before me facsimile copies and photographs taken from the originals of all of these illegal acts.

I need not refer to the fact that Mr. Morrow has himself admitted his false statement and error in regard to the balance that he alleged to have existed in the school fund of 1914 of \$683,000, and that the per capita was kept at \$4.00. He has apologized already to the public for making such a statement.

Secured Seven Month School Term.

I would like to add here, however, that on account of this \$638,000 accumulated by conservative business management of the school funds, I did, arbitrarily, on account of what I conceived to be my authority as executive, state that I would declare a seven months' school term. I was immediately advised by the proper legal authorities of the State that this could not be done without Legislative enactment. Then I did declare a \$4.50 per capita, the largest that had ever been declared before in the history of Kentucky, and every teacher in Kentucky knows that the salaries were paid promptly every month. I then drafted a bill for the following Legislature, which was passed, and the result of which was the establishment of the seven months school term which we

now have, at a per capita of \$5.85.

"Broncho" Franks, of Owensboro.

Now, I have noticed that a certain Mr. Franks, known as "Broncho" Franks, from the city of Owensboro, has attacked the Department of Education, also in a most vicious manner. I have never heard of Mr. Franks being a friend to the cause of education, nor to any other worthy cause. I do know that there is in the records of the Franklin Circuit Court that Mr. Franks was indicted and tried for an alleged crime that would make one so sensitive as he claims to be blush in shame and keep himself in obscurity, instead of in bold hypocrisy attacking the decent and honest servants of the people and the innocent children of this commonwealth. I do not know how Mr. Franks has become so prominent in the politics of his party, nor how he has grown so rich, but I have been told that he had something to do with the equalization of liquor revenues, whatever that is; I do not know. But, I am informed that it was in his case a most lucrative business, and, on account of his expertise in such matters, he became Collector of Internal Revenue and retired from this office a millionaire after four years' service. This is all rumor to me—I do not know that it is absolutely true. However, it is told by Republicans, and I am sure they would not disparage Mr. Franks intentionally.

I do not take time to refer to the attacks of the other "small" gentlemen on this Republican ticket, and those interested on behalf of this ticket. The time is too short. The Honorable Judge Lewis Walker, for instance, a turn-coat Democrat, who would sell his birthright for a mess of pottage, and yet with all that being a Republican. I feel kindly towards him on account of my sympathy for people whose ignorance is commensurate with their avarice, and I pass him by, and put him in a category with the heretofore referred to, R. "Pea" Green.

Endorses Woodrow Wilson.

Now, in conclusion: The Democratic ticket is led by a princely statesman whose ability and achievements are comparable with those of a Woodrow Wilson, an Ollie James, or any of the greatest Democrats of this age, or any other age. The fact that the Republican nominee for Governor would stoop so low as to direct his attacks, and all of his lieutenants to direct their attacks at the insignificant office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction is indicative of the fact that they are desperate and know not where to turn, nor how to form their lines for an attack.

Morrow's Doom is Sealed.

The fact of the business is, Mr. Morrow, and every man on his ticket, realizes and recognizes, and acknowledges already, ignominious defeat, and by their mad attacks upon the bulwark of the commonwealth, the public school system, they evidence the fact, and notoriously parade the fact, that their attitude is retrogressive in all things and especially in this one great business of the State. Mr. Morrow sealed his doom in his first attack in his speech at Bowling Green. A man of such low ideals, and of so small conceptions of what a great commonwealth should be and how it should be developed, is not fit to be the nominee even for the great office of school trustee, in this State. The Republicans, even of the most radical type, condemn him for his unwarranted, flimsy attacks, based on hypocrisy and the intense desire to get an office.

Too Far Advanced to Consider Hypocrisy.

I tell you again, my fellow citizens, that the people of Kentucky have advanced too far to consider such cant and hypocrisy. Their homes are too dear, and their love for "the little red school house and the church by the wayside" is too pure to listen to a man, or set of men, who would prostitute what should be better ideals to a cause, and an attempt so low. I have faith in the people of Kentucky; I have faith in the God-fearing mothers and fathers of Kentucky, to the services of whose little children I have dedicated my life and efforts; I have faith in the school teachers of Kentucky. I have led for four years Kentucky's great "standing army," and I tell you that America's standing army is today that body of school teachers of which Woodrow Wilson has been one; and that it will be due to the efforts and the ideals of this army that America will go forward continuously in peace, love and prosperity.

A Reconstructed Man Costs 500.

With exhibitions and catalogues of artificial limbs now brought to notice one gets to calculating the cost of a reconstructed man. Seemingly a little more than \$500 would suffice. A pair of artificial legs costs about \$150 and a pair of arms about \$100. Ears, with drama, etc., cost \$75 each; eyes \$30 a pair, and so on. Without heart and brain a man is worth about \$500. With them the price might change.—London Chronicle.

Nothing to Be Said.

Judge—You admit, then, that you stole the loaf of bread? Woman Prisoner—Yes, your honor. Judge—What have you to say for yourself? Woman—Nothing, your honor. If it was lace or jewelry I might plead kleptomania, but we can't try that when it's bread.—Chicago Herald.

In the Station.

"I want to take a train to New York."
"But, my dear sir, we pay our engineers to do that."—Baltimore American.

Marsh Cure.

Hubby (at breakfast)—I've got a bad head this morning. Wife—I'm sorry, dear, I do hope you'll be able to shake it off.—Boston Transcript.

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MADGE.

There will not be any Sunday school here Sunday, but everybody come Sunday week at 9 o'clock.

Rev. L. M. Copley is to deliver a lecture at Pleasant Ridge on the second Sunday in Nov. Everybody come and hear something you will long remember.

Mrs. M. M. Meek was the Sunday guest of Mrs. R. Blankenship. Misses Grace and Gypsy Blankenship spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Misses Shannon.

Millard Bradley, wife and the boy spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives on Twin Branch.

Mrs. Laura Webb of Louisa is spending the week with relatives on Little Blaine.

John Muncy of Smoky Valley was in our midst Sunday.

Mrs. Cora B. Pigg is still on the sick list.

Lindsey Pigg and Elwood Hutchison of Busseyville were at the latter's sister, Mrs. Cora Pigg Sunday.

Felix Wellman went to Ashland on business Monday.

J. N. Roberts, who has had the misfortune to lose his sight has gone to Cincinnati, O., to have his eyes operated on. His son Fred accompanied him as far as Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kiser of Osie, passed through here enroute home Saturday.

Mrs. M. L. Johns and children of Louisa, spent the week end with her parents here.

J. D. Darnon and son Forest made a business trip to Glenwood Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Barnett was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Cora Pigg Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Frazier is in our midst again after spending some time at Lucasville, O. TOSPY TURVY.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LUMBER.

By virtue of a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court at its August term 1915 in the case of W. M. Justice against Perry Hollan, etc., undersigned Commissioner will on Monday the 15th day of November, 1915 at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., offer for sale to the highest and best bidder six stacks of lumber on Griffiths creek about four miles from Chapman Station, containing from 25,000 to 30,000 feet, log run, mostly oak, lengths 10-12-14 and 16 feet long one and two inch lumber six to twelve inches wide.

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PIKE COUNTY NEWS

"Come, little leaves," said the wind one day,
"Come over the meadows with me and play;
Put on your dresses of red and gold;
Summer is gone, and the days grow cold."

NEW EQUIPMENT FOR COOKING PLANT.

The Elkhorn Consolidated Coal and Coke Co., near Heller, is adding new machinery to its operating equipment. A new crusher has been installed at the coke ovens for slacking purposes, and new power house machinery has also been added, it is said. These increases in capacity are designed to meet an immense increase in the volume of business confidently looked for during the next year. For Rogers of the Pikeville National Bank is president of this operating company, and his brother, Lon Rogers, is acting general manager.

A large increase in every line of business is noticeable throughout the Sandy Valley, and the coal business particularly is benefiting by the industrial wave that now seems general over the entire country. It is said that every mining operation in the Elkhorn field is running full time, and employing all the men available, with a standing demand for more. Miners are constantly arriving by the train load, most of whom are bound for Jenkins.

An additional evidence that a still greater period of industrial activity is expected in the mining business of the upper Sandy is the fact that the C. C. & O. has purchased a number of new engines of the mallet compound type, and these engines have already been put to work on this division, with the ultimate purpose of using them almost exclusively. One of these engines passed Elkhorn on its way up last Sunday drawing 105 empties, and many were left off at other mines before it reached here.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church pleasantly entertained its members and friends at the home of the pastor, Dr. J. Russell Crawford, last Friday evening. Quite a large crowd was present to participate in the evening's enjoyment, and the evening was delightfully spent in music and games.

The party lasted until a late hour, and refreshments consisting of pimiento sandwiches and hot chocolate were served.

FAIRBANKS AND OTHER REPUBLICANS COMING.

Former Vice-President Chas. Fairbanks, Edwin P. Morrow, Republican nominee for Governor, Senator Walter G. Harding of Ohio, Judge Ed C. O'Rear and Hon. E. T. Frank will all arrive at Pikeville today to present the Republican views of the state and national campaign to the people here. They will be met by a brass band and a committee of business men and prominent Republican leaders at the railway station and escorted to the hotel, and immediately after dinner a public reception will be tendered to them, at which they will deliver their several speeches.

It is the purpose of the party to also visit Elkhorn City, Marrowbone, Heller and Shelby.

In view of the prominence of these men a great concourse of people will be expected to be here to meet them.

HUFFMAN APPOINTED.

R. T. Huffman has received his appointment as postmaster at Pikeville to succeed Emory E. Trivette, who recently resigned. Mr. Huffman received notice of the appointment from the Department at Washington late last week, and the Department advised that as soon as he could qualify by forwarding the proper oath with bond, the commission would be issued and forwarded to him.

Mr. Huffman will take charge of the post office at once. He was also postmaster here during the Cleveland administration.

Delivery Starts Monday.

The city mail delivery service will begin Monday of next week with one carrier for the present, and that will be Mr. Earl Brooks, who is now employed in the postoffice here and has had considerable experience in the mail business. He will make two trips around the city each day. This is to be a trial service as an experiment and if successful, it may be inaugurated in other Kentucky towns which do not at the present have a carrier service.

MEETING CONTINUES.

The protracted meetings at Island creek are continuing with success that is far beyond expectation. A large crowd from Pikeville attended the afternoon service last Sunday at the Tabernacle, which was crowded to its capacity, and before the service began five persons were immersed in the Sandy river near the tabernacle, and it is said many other persons will later be baptized. Miss Claire, the singer, will remain until the close of the meetings.

ATTENDING SYNOD.

Rev. J. Russell Crawford, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, T. H. Harman and others are attending the annual meeting of the Presbyterian Synod and the semi-annual Presbytery, both of which were held at Ashland this week. The Pikeville delegation will take part in the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Dr. Condit's work as pastor of the Ashland church. They returned to Pikeville yesterday.

SPECIAL TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT.

A special term of the Pike Circuit Court will be opened at Pikeville November 8th to continue. Four weeks of the term are called this special term as a means of public convenience in order to clear part of the congested business now on the docket.

The regular term of the Letcher Circuit Court is due to open at Whitesburg at the same time, but Judge Roberson will remain at Pikeville to preside over the special term if he can arrange to have a special judge sent to Whitesburg; but if not, he will go

to Whitesburg himself and have the special judge sent to Pikeville.

The present term of the court at Pikeville has now continued through seven weeks, and will close tomorrow, leaving one week of rest between the two terms. A large amount of the congestion which has been piling up for years will have been disposed of by the combined eleven weeks of court here. The special docket will contain about 250 common-law cases and a number of equity cases.

A number of persons will again be baptized in the river near the Tabernacle Sunday. The number of persons who have been brought by the river to profess the faith is now about 50, and is rising. Altars for divine worship have been set up in many homes that formerly were full of vice and without fear of God or Godliness. The influence of the meetings has gone out to the remote parts of the county, and men who were gamblers and criminals of the lowest character are to-day worshippers of the Lord and find time and pleasure in going to His house for worship. The gambler now prays, and the thief seeks Christian comfort at the prayer meetings. This is the good that the prayer meetings and others are doing. It has got into the miners, and the coal operators all over the neighborhood are praising the work of these Christian people.

The revival will doubtless continue through next week, and may go on indefinitely, as no effort will be made to check the spirit that animates it. It is doing good, and its continuance will be a blessing.

MAY MOVE PIKEVILLE POST OFFICE.

Mr. Huffman, who will be the new postmaster at Pikeville, says he will make application to the Post Office Department at Washington to authorize the moving of the office from its present location in the Starkey building on Grace-ay, to the L. O. O. F. building on Division.

Mr. Starkey, who is general manager for both the Eastern Kentucky Home Telephone Co. and Sandy Valley Telephone Co., will move the exchanges and general offices of both companies from the Yost building, where they are now located, to the second floor of the Grace-ay building, which he recently purchased. The new cable service for both companies which he is now installing in the city is being arranged to connect with the new central station.

PASTORS EXCHANGE CHARGES.

Rev. Wade Rowe, who was recently assigned by the Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church to the Pikeville circuit, has exchanged his work for the pastorate at Heller, which was assigned to Rev. Vernon Grizzle, and Mr. Grizzle will come to Pikeville to take charge of this circuit, which has four churches, namely, Island creek, Millard, Salem and The Academy. Mutual business interests furnish the reasons for the exchange.

MINISTERS' ALLIANCE.

The ministers of Pikeville churches formed a Ministers' Alliance Friday. Rev. J. R. Crawford was elected Chairman, and Rev. Geo. F. Tinsley Secretary. Every accredited minister of Pikeville will be a member of this association. The purpose is to work together for the good of the community.

They decided to hold the Union Thanksgiving service at the Christian church at 10:30, Nov. 25th. Rev. J. L. Vinson of the M. E. Church, South, was chosen to preach the sermon. Special song service will be rendered by singers from all the churches.

It was decided that each minister would preach in his own pulpit, a sermon on Temperance and law enforcement, Sunday night, Nov. 28th.

The next meeting will be held at the Christian church, Nov. 1st, at 10 a. m.

TELEPHONE EXTENSION.

Some extensions of the Bell Telephone lines are to be made in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky. The new lines will come via Hazard, Blackey, Whitesburg, Fleming, McRoberts and Jenkins to Elkhorn City, and from there to Pikeville. This is one of the big enterprises in telephone work in the mountains, especially for long distance service.

CHARLES MAYNARD KILLED; CLAUDE INJURED.

Charles Maynard, a former Pikeville boy, son of Mary Maynard, was killed in a motorcycle accident at Newport News, Va., Oct. 16, according to reports reaching here, and his brother Claude was so badly injured that he is not expected to live. The machine on which they were both riding crashed into a telephone pole when Claude, who was driving, turned about to see Charles, who had lost his balance and fallen from the machine.

Both were taken to a hospital, and it was first thought that Claude was the more seriously injured of the two, but internal injuries resulted in the death of Charles only a few hours later and Claude is lingering between life and death.

Charles Maynard was 36 years old, and is survived by his wife and three small children.

John Maynard, the youngest of the three brothers, was also painfully injured only a few days before by being knocked against a wagon when he stepped from a street car.

BARN MENACE.

A barn occupied by live stock is located within 30 feet of the new city graded and county high school building recently erected at enormous cost. This barn is a menace to the health of every child attending the school, and also to many neighbors. Several neighbors have asked that the nuisance be removed, as a protection to the health of the students, if they do not care to accommodate the residents of the neighborhood.

Just why the school trustees, having the health and welfare of the students in their care, refuse to move the barn from the grounds surrounding the beautiful building is a matter that the public wants them to account for.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A party of students of Pikeville College, accompanied by several of the teachers, went to Duty's Knob for an outing last Saturday afternoon.

Philip K. Shaner, millionaire lawyer of Pittsburgh, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Geo. W. Gray, at Pikeville for a part of last week.

W. P. MacVay of Prestonsburg and seven members of the Jenkins were here looking after coal business last Thursday. A. W. Wheeler and H. R. Laughlin, also of Jenkins were here.

Miss Georgia Phelps, who had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Brown, at Louisa for several weeks, returned to her home at Pikeville last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Maude Hayes, who recently became a victim of desertion, left last week for her former home at Jellico, Tenn., taking her little son with her.

George Goble of Prestonsburg, came to Pikeville last Thursday to bring a sick horse to the doctor. The horse was a fine animal, and it paid to invest a little in curing him.

J. H. Addington, revenue agent of Jenkins, has been at Pikeville for several days recently.

The young people of the M. E. Church, South, are preparing to give a public performance of "The Rhodes Scholar" as a benefit performance for the poor children of this city and vicinity. The funds realized at the performance will be distributed among these little ones in clothes or provisions about Christmas time.

H. C. Arnette and G. W. Owens, both of Paintsville, were callers to Pikeville last Friday.

John M. Hatcher, S. M. Cecil, G. W. Pinson and other Masons of this city attended the annual meeting of the grand lodge of the state held at Louisville last week. They returned to this city Friday evening.

Grith, the young son of attorney J. M. Bowling, is a convert of the Island creek meetings. He stated in his first testimonial at the meeting last Sunday that God had called him to the ministry, and he had accepted the call. He is now only 14 years old. His mother, who is acting organist at the meeting, wept at the fulfillment of what she said she had been praying for for years, namely, that he might confess the faith and publicly declare his intention of entering the ministry.

Experts are now working on the connections of the telephone cables recently installed by N. Starkey. The cables will soon be switched into service from the new central office on Grace-ay.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church held its annual oyster supper at the church yesterday evening, at which a great many guests were present. The Society will also hold a Bazaar beginning Nov. 2.

Paris Charles, the Virginia timber merchant, is moving his logging outfit to Island creek, near Pikeville.

Henry Ray, a farmer living just below Pikeville, died last Sunday after a brief illness, and the remains were re-laid for interment to Shelby Monday.

Commonwealth Attorney Monroe Fields has returned to Pikeville after having spent several days on a campaign tour through the county.

Miss Olva Hatcher is better after a sickness of several days.

Traveling salesman Ed P. Arnold of Prestonsburg was at Pikeville Monday.

Mrs. James Pinson of Zebulon, this county, was at Pikeville, early this week.

C. H. Castle of Paintsville was at Pikeville on business Monday.

Attorney Sam Stowers, who recently spent several weeks at his former home at Ceres, Va., has returned to this city.

Mrs. Roxy Culbertson of Jenkins has been the guest of relatives at Pikeville for several days. Mrs. Culbertson was formerly Miss Madge Darnon.

Mrs. P. F. Preston visited Huntington during the earlier part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Hoffman have been visiting relatives in Virginia this week.

Miss Muriel Hoagland spent last Saturday and Sunday with her sister at Louisa.

Improvements are being made by carpenters at the Baptist church this week.

Mrs. Frank Englar spent a few days last week at Prestonsburg, Catlettsburg and Huntington as the guest of friends.

ENGLISH WOMAN EXECUTED BY THE GERMANS.

London, Oct. 22.—In the report of the Rev. H. S. T. Gahan, the British chaplain in Brussels, who visited Miss Edith Cavell just before her execution, made public this evening by the British Foreign Office, the chaplain says: "On Monday evening, the 11th, I was admitted to the prison of St. Gilles. Miss Miss Cavell had been confined for ten weeks. The final sentence had been given early in the afternoon. To my astonishment and relief I found my friend perfectly calm and resigned. Her first words to me were upon a matter concerning herself personally, but the solemn asseveration which accompanied them were expressly in the light of God and eternity. She then added that she wished all her friends to know that she willingly gave her life for her country, and said: 'I have no fear nor shrinking. I have seen death so often that it is not strange and fearful to me.'"

Minister Whitlock, who endeavored to save Miss Cavell, in a letter to Ambassador Page, says the body was interred near the prison of St. Gilles. His efforts to secure the body for the Belgian school of nurses met with the reply that "under the regulations governing such cases it was impossible to exhumate the body without permission from the Minister of War at Berlin."

The story of the execution as told in the correspondence sent by the American Minister at Brussels to the American Ambassador at London and printed in full in all the British morning papers, it is predicted, will send a wave of indignation throughout the country.

The London papers, in their editorials, while paying tribute to the fine efforts of the American diplomatic representatives in her behalf, characterized her execution as "the most damnable crime of the war."



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Carrieno H. Hopper has been appointed postmaster at Shelby, Pike county.

SERIOUS OPERATION.

On last Saturday Mrs. Max Newman, of Thacker, W. Va., submitted to one of the most difficult and serious operations known to abdominal surgery. It was done by Dr. L. H. York at River-view Hospital. At this time the patient is doing well. She was under the influence of the anesthetic nearly three hours. Mrs. Newman is a daughter of Jas. McCowan, who lives near Pikeville.

FRANK BALL IS PAROLED FROM REFORMATORY.

J. Frank Ball, whose escape from the Richmond jail, pending his appeal from a life sentence for killing Jack Bolen in Middleboro, and his subsequent career until his voluntary surrender, formed a thrilling chapter in Kentucky criminal annals, was paroled yesterday afternoon and left on a late train to join his family in Bell county.

He has been in the Reformatory ten years and there is not a mark against him for infraction of prison rules. On June 7, 1912, just before the present Board of Prison Commissioners assumed office, the old board paroled Ball, but as the five years necessary to entitle a life prisoner to parole had not elapsed this board considered the order void.

Aftermath of Primary.

Ball was a candidate for sheriff in the Republican primary in October, 1905. He was defeated 82 votes and Bolen, a barber, had worked against him. Ball visited Bolen's shop and an altercation was followed by a lawsuit and presentation of charges by Bolen before the grand jury. At that time lawlessness was rampant at Middleboro, and a law and order organization had been formed. So when Ball shot Bolen in his shop from across the street, the public mind was aflame.

Bolen was a lodge man and the lodge aided the prosecution. Ball went to Lee-co, Va., where his father was sheriff, but afterwards came back and stood trial and was sentenced for life. He was placed in the Richmond jail for safety, but escaped and again fled to Lee-co. A reward was offered for his arrest, but no effort was made to secure the reward until the sheriff of Bell county resigned and the County Judge appointed a sheriff, who organized a posse. Again Ball surrendered voluntarily and was taken to the jail at Louisville.

Protests Withdrawn.

Thousands signed a protest against a pardon for Ball, whose family was prominent in the border section of the state, and a great bundle of protests from Odd Fellows lodges are on file. Recently, however, many protests have been withdrawn, and W. U. Carr, of Ashland, as grand master of the Odd Fellows, sent a letter stating that he had no objection to Ball's parole.

Ball's residence has burned since his incarceration, and he has a wife and two children, one an invalid.

Prison officers believe that Ball, who is now 45 years old, will be a good citizen. No other sort of offense was ever charged against him, and conditions in that section have changed to such an extent that no fear of a repetition is entertained.

Leading citizens of Eastern Kentucky, including Judges and county officers signed petitions for Ball's parole.

MANILLA.

Rev. Lewis Caudill of Barnett's creek preached to the people at Clifton Sunday. He was on his way to Flat Gap to hold a protracted meeting.

There will be a picnic at Calvin Branch school house Nov. 6th. Everybody come.

Miss Emma Rice visited home folks at Paintsville recently.

Harry Collins of Portsmouth, was visiting his daughter, Laura, a few days ago.

Next Saturday and Sunday is church time at the Davis school house which is only every fifth Sunday.

Felix Fyfe was on our creek last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Trimble have returned home from a visit to the Blue Grass.

Roscoe McKenzie of Red Bush attended church at Clifton Sunday.

BLUE EYES.

CATALPA.

Sunday school is progressing nicely at this place.

Death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hart Newman and took from them their darling boy, Joan Morgan Newman, age 4 years. He died Friday night and was buried Sunday morning at ten o'clock. The funeral service was conducted by Bro. George Pabk.

Martin Potter, who has been visiting at Jenkins has returned home.

Dan Blankenship was a business visitor in Catlettsburg one day last week.

Ethel Soard was visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Bowe Sunday evening.

Elizabeth Bowe and Ella Blankenship were visiting Ethel Soard Monday evening.

Mrs. George Potter was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Potter Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Potter was visiting on Morgan creek one day last week.

THREE GRINNING POSNOMS.

PRICHARD, W. VA.

The people of Prichard are much pleased with their new pastor, Rev. Jake Dawson. He is the Southern Methodist preacher here.

Rev. Grimes is the pastor of the M. E. Church at Shiloh and he was the pastor at Shiloh 13 years ago and what few of his old members are left were much pleased to meet him last Sunday.

Tom Belcher is building a fine cellar. G. W. Hatten and wife were visiting Mrs. Hatten's mother, Mrs. Sarah Belcher, who is 82 years old and has been very feeble.

Frank and Tom Hatten were visiting their aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Dean last Friday night.

Miss Bernice Canfield was visiting Miss Ruth Hatten last Saturday and Sunday.

G. W. Hatten purchased 18 head of 2-year-old steers from Berna Bootle. Dr. L. B. Dean has doubled decked his shack and it has improved the looks of his place very much.

Miss Hattie Rankin of Rush creek, Ky., was visiting West Va. friends last Sunday.

Harna Dean, wife and daughter attended church at Shiloh last Sunday and took dinner with Mr. Dan Hatten. Eldridge McKee was calling at Dr. L. B. Deans last week.

Jas. McKee and wife were out driving last Sunday.

Frank Canterbury has been on the sick list for a while but is now able to do farming.

Miss Sadie Smith, the C. & O. stenographer from Huntington, is leaving her parents on Gragston creek.

Lost, strayed or stolen, the agent of the Big Sandy News—Later was found in Mr. Phillip Hatten's Irish potato patch digging potatoes, and when reminded of his mission, he at once searched his pocket and found his book and at once started out in the interest of the NEWS.

John Bradley of Madge, Ky., was calling on Miss Mary Belcher last Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Hutchison was visiting her grandmother last Saturday night.

Virge Hatten and wife were out driving last Sunday.

G. W. Hatten and wife, Dr. L. B. Dean and wife were seen motoring through Prichard last Sunday enroute to see Mrs. Sarah Belcher, who is very sick.

Joe Strother, the Hubbardstown teacher and his cousin Maxie Hatten were out driving last Sunday.